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ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

University of Colorado Boulder

- 2014– Professor • Religious Studies
2010–2014 Associate Professor • Religious Studies
2009–2010 Visiting Associate Professor • Spanish and Portuguese

University of California Santa Cruz

- 2012– Research Associate • Humanities
2005–2012 Associate Professor • History (cross appointment: Jewish Studies)
2002–2005 Assistant Professor • History

Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas • Institució Milà i Fontanals: Barcelona

- 2009–present Member: *La Corona d'Aragó, l'Íslam i el món mediterrani* (Generalitat de Catalunya: Consolidated Research Group, dir.: Roser Salicrú i Lluch) in residence (June & July annually).
2009–2014 *La Corona de Aragó en el Mediterráneo medieval: puente entre culturas, mediadora entre Cristiandad e Islam* (Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación: Research Project).
2007–2010 Associate: *The Crown of Aragon in the Medieval Mediterranean: Bridge between Cultures, Mediator between Christendom and the Islamic World* (Spanish MEC: Research Project, dir.: M.T. Ferrer i Mallol)
2005–2009 & 2001–2005 Member: *Grup de recerca de la Corona Catalano-aragonesa – l'Íslam i el món mediterrani* (Spanish MEC: Research Project, dir.: M.T. Ferrer i Mallol)
1999–2000 Visiting Scholar
1998–1999 & 1996–1997 *Becari* (doctoral fellow): *La Corona d'Aragó i els Països Islàmics a la Baixa Edat Mitjana: el Marc Político-militar i els Intercanvis Econòmics i Culturals*

Boston University • Institute for Medieval Studies

- 2000–2002 Visiting Scholar (Post-doctoral Fellowship) • Supervisor: Thomas F. Glick

Research Associate: Humanities, University of California Santa Cruz
Co-Director: [The Mediterranean Seminar](#)

Director: University of Colorado Mediterranean Studies Group
Associated Faculty: Center for Asian Studies • Ethnic Studies • Jewish Studies • Middle East & Islamic Studies • History (CU Boulder)

Core Faculty: Humanities (CU Boulder)

Boulder Faculty Association: representative (RLST)

Editor-in-Chief: Oxford Islamic Studies Online, “al-Andalus” section

Co-Editor: *Mediterranean Perspectives* Series (Palgrave/MacMillan)

Associate: UCLA Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies

Collaborating Scholar: The Center for the Study of Conversion, (Ben-Gurion University of the Negev) • Grup de Recerca en Estudis Medievals Espai, Poder i Cultura (Universitat de Lleida)

Member: Center for the Euro-Mediterranean Academy of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Education (Universidad de Alicante)

Project Member: La Corona d'Aragó, l'Íslam i el món mediterrani (Institut Milà i Fontanals: CSIC, Barcelona)

Co-Chair: American Academy of Religion: “Pre-Modern Europe & the Mediterranean” Consultation

Editorial Board: *Imago Temporis. Medium Aevum* • *Aragón en la Edad Media* • *Mediterranean Chronicle* • *postmedieval: a journal of medieval cultural studies* • *Anejos del Anuario de Estudios Medievales* • *Scripta Mediterranea* • *Al-Masāq: Journal of the Medieval Mediterranean* • *Circularità Mediterranea/Mediterranean Circularities*

Advisory Board: *Mediterranea* • *American Journal of Mediterranean Studies* • *The Journal of Medieval Worlds*

EDUCATION:**University of Toronto • Centre for Medieval Studies**

1994–2000 Ph.D. in Medieval Studies (History)
 [Homologación (see Academic Awards, below) from Spanish Ministry of Education, 2006]

1993–1994 M.A.: Medieval Studies (History)

University of Toronto • University College

1989–1992 B.A. (double): History Specialist, Philosophy Major; English Minor • “High Distinction”
 & 1985–1987 [Homologación (see Academic Awards, below) from Spanish Ministry of Education, 2005]

SUPPLEMENTARY EDUCATION/TRAINING:

- 2017 Basic Ladino reading skills • “Reading Ladino/Judezmo” *Mediterranean Summer Skills Seminar* • University of Colorado at Boulder
- 2016 Basic Aljamiado reading skills • “Reading Aljamiado” *Mediterranean Summer Skills Seminar* • University of Colorado at Boulder
- 1999–2000 Catalan Level ‘A’ • *Centre de Normalització d’Idiomes* (Barcelona, Spain)
- 1994 Intensive Spanish conversation • *Lenguas y Culturas* (Cuenca, Ecuador)
- 1993 Introductory Modern Hebrew • *Kibbutz Kfar ha-Horesh* (Nazareth, Israel)
- 1992–1993 Arabic for literacy • private tutor (Aleppo, Syria)

ACADEMIC AWARDS, GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS & DISTINCTIONS:

- 2019 Nomination for the Balzan Prize for “Islamic Studies” (on behalf of the University of Colorado Boulder)
- 2018 Kayden Research Grant (CU Boulder; \$3K)
- *ASSETT* (Arts & Sciences Support of Education Through Technology) Excellence in Teaching with Technology Award Nomination
 - President’s Fund for the Humanities (CU Boulder; \$3K)
 - Gerda Henkel Prize: Nomination (on behalf of the University of Colorado Boulder) [not awarded]
 - Kayden Book Prize (CU Boulder; see below, *Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom*)
 - Charles Homer Haskins Medal (Medieval Academy of America; see below, *Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom*)
- 2018S University of Colorado at Boulder, College of Arts & Sciences “College Scholar” Award (1 semester leave)
- 2017F Research and Innovation Office Conference Grant (\$3K)
- Kayden Research Grant (CU Boulder; \$2K)
- 2017S Research and Innovation Office Conference Grant (\$3K)
- President’s Fund for the Humanities (CU Boulder; \$2K)
 - Robert L. Kindrick–CARA Award for Outstanding Service to Medieval Studies (Medieval Academy of America): Nominated
 - Nomination for the Balzan Prize for “International Relations: History and Theory” (on behalf of the University of Colorado Boulder) [not awarded]
 - AHUM (Art and Humanities) Outreach Award, for the CU Mediterranean Studies Group (\$2K)
- 2016–17 Award for Excellence in Leadership & Service, *Boulder Faculty Association* (CU Boulder) (\$3K)
- Innovative Seed Grant: “Mediterranean Studies,” *Faculty of Arts and Sciences, University of Colorado at Boulder*: PI (\$50K)
- 2016 Kayden Research Grant (CU Boulder; \$3K)
- President’s Fund for the Humanities (CU Boulder; \$1.5K)
- 2015–16 National Endowment for the Humanities Research Fellowship, “Ethno-religious Identity in the Medieval Mediterranean and Beyond” (\$50K)
- 2015 AHUM (Art and Humanities) Outreach Award, for the CU Mediterranean Studies Group (\$1.5K)
- CU Arts & Sciences Scholar Award (to be held in Fall 2017)
 - Honorable Mention (European and World History) 2015 American Publishers PROSE Awards for Professional and Scholarly Excellence: *Infidel Kings and Unholy Warriors* (see below)
 - President’s Fund for the Humanities (CU Boulder; \$1.5K)
- 2010–2015 UC Multi-Campus Research Project: Mediterranean Studies (\$484K)

- 2014–2015 Award for Excellence in Research, Scholarly, and Creative Work, *Boulder Faculty Association* (CU Boulder) (\$3K)
- IMPART (Implementation of Multicultural Perspectives and Approaches in Research and Teaching Fellowship) (CU Boulder; \$4K)
 - NEH Summer Institute “Negotiating Identities: Expression and Representation in the Christian-Jewish-Muslim Mediterranean” (Barcelona: July, 2015), Co-Director (w/ S. Kinoshita, UCSC) (\$191K)
 - Kayden Research Grant (CU Boulder; \$3K)
 - Phi Beta Kappa Grant for HUMN 3850, *The Mediterranean: Religion Before Modernity* (\$200)
 - [Albert Hourani Book Award](#) (Middle East Studies Association), 2014, see *Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom*, below.
- 2014 Center for Western Civilization: programming support for CU Mediterranean Studies Group (\$5K)
- Summer On-Line Pilot Program Grant (RLST 3000: Christian Traditions) (\$5K)
- 2011–2013 NEH Summer Institute “Networks and Knowledge in the Medieval Muslim-Christian-Jewish Mediterranean” (Barcelona: July, 2012), Co-Director (w/ S. Kinoshita, Literature, UCSC) (\$199K)
- 2013 Center for Western Civilization outreach grant (on behalf of the Colorado Mediterranean Studies Group) (\$3.5K).
- 2012–2013 Center for the Arts and the Humanities Faculty Fellowship (CU Boulder) (2 course releases)
- 2011–2012 Innovative Seed Grant: “Mediterranean Studies,” Faculty of Arts and Sciences, University of Colorado at Boulder: PI (\$38.2K)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$1K)
- 2012 47th Annual Walter Prescott Webb Essay Competition “Muslims, Christians, and Jews in the Medieval Mediterranean” (University of Texas at Arlington): Winner (with Thomas F. Glick; see publications, below)
- 2010–2011 NEH Summer Institute “Cultural Hybridities: Christians, Muslims and Jews and the Medieval Mediterranean” (Barcelona: July, 2010), Co-Director (w/ S. Kinoshita, Literature, UCSC) (\$199K)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$1.5K)
- 2010 Society for the Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies/Julian Bishko Memorial Prize best article (2008–2009) in medieval Iberian history by a North American scholar
- 2009–2010 National Endowment for the Humanities Research Fellowship: “Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom, ca. 1050–1614” (\$50K)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Special Research Grant (\$6K)
 - Mediterranean Studies Research Project, Institute for Humanities Research UCSC (\$4550)
- 2009 Citation for Undergraduate Mentorship (UCSC Chancellor)
- 2008–2009 UC Humanities Research Institute Conference Award (w/ S. Kinoshita, Literature, UCSC) (\$18K)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$2K)
 - Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$500)
- 2007–2009 NEH Summer Institute “The Medieval Mediterranean & the Origins of the West” (Barcelona: July, 2008), Co-Director (w/ S. Kinoshita, Literature, UCSC) (\$182K)
- 2007–2008 UC France-Berkeley Fund, Institute European Studies UCB/ Ministère des Affaires Étrangères, France: Fellowship for International Collaboration (\$12K)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$2K)
 - Center for Teaching Excellence, UCSC: Course Development Grant (1 course relief)
 - Center for Teaching Excellence, UCSC: Instructional Improvement Mini-Grant (\$1200)
 - Residential Research Group (14weeks) *University of California Humanities Research Institute*, UC Irvine (co-organizer: Sharon Kinoshita, UCSC (approx.: \$200K)
- 2006–2007 Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$2K)
- Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Faculty Grant (\$500)
 - *The Victors and the Vanquished* - American Historical Association; Premio del Rey, winner (biennial): Best publication on early (pre-1516) Spanish history for 2004 & 2005.
 - *Ministerio de Educación y Cultura* (Spain): Certification (*homologación*) of PhD degree
- 2005–2006 *The Victors and the Vanquished* - American Historical Association: John E. Fagg Prize, winner: Best publication on Spanish, Portuguese or Latin American History, 2005
- *The Victors and the Vanquished* - shortlisted: *La Corónica* International Book Award, 2005

- Ministerio de Educación y Cultura (Spain): Certification of BA & MA degrees
- UC Office of the President: Research Fellowship in the Humanities (\$50K)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Special Research Grant (\$12K)
- Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Fellowship (1 course relief)
- Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Small Faculty Grant (\$500)
- Humanities Division, UCSC: *ad hoc* “seed” grant for Mediterranean Studies Initiative (\$3.5K)
- 2004–2005 Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (1 course relief)
- Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Small Faculty Grant (\$500)
- 2003–2004 Center for Teaching Excellence, UCSC: Mini-Grant (renewed in 2005–6 & 2006–7) (\$1200)
- UC & *Generalitat* of Catalonia: Gaspar de Portolà Fellowship for Academic Exchange (\$2K)
- Center for Teaching Excellence, UCSC: Instructional Improvement Grant (\$1200)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$2K)
- Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Small Faculty Grant (\$500)
- 2002–2003 Center for Teaching Excellence, UCSC: Mini-Grant (\$1200)
- Committee on Research, UCSC: Faculty Research Grant (\$2K)
- Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Small Faculty Grant (\$500)

Postdoctoral:

- 2000–2002 Social Sciences & Humanities Research Council of Canada Post-Doctoral Fellowship (\$30k/a)
- 2000 Governor-General of Canada’s Gold Medal for Academic Achievement
- Canadian Society of Medievalists: First Annual “Leonard E. Boyle” Dissertation Prize

Graduate:

- 1999–2000 *Beca para Extranjeros* (Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores del Gobierno de España) (\$8K)
- 1998–1999 IODE: War Memorial Fellowship for Doctoral Studies (\$8K)
 - Centre for Medieval Studies: Dissertation Fellowship (\$12K)
 - Generalitat of Catalonia/ Institut d’Estudis Catalans: *Borsa d’Estudis de la Generalitat* (\$8K)
- 1995–1998 Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada: Doctoral Fellowship (\$28k/a)
- 1997–1998 Victoria College, University of Toronto: Graduate Student Member
 - Canadian Association of University Teachers: J. H. Stewart Reid Fellowship (\$1200)
 - U. of Toronto School of Graduate Studies: Associates’ Travel Grant (\$1200)
- 1996–1997 *Beca para Extranjeros* (Ministerio de Asuntos Exteriores del Gobierno de España) (\$8K)
- 1995–1996 AHA: Bernadotte Schmitt Grant for Research in European, African, or Asian History (\$1200)
 - Government of Ontario: Graduate Scholarship [declined for SSHRCC] (\$12k)
 - Harcourt Brown Travel Fellowship (University College, Toronto) (\$500)
 - U. of Toronto School of Graduate Studies: Associates’ Travel Grant (\$500)
- 1994–1995 Government of Ontario: Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$12k)
 - U. of Toronto School of Graduate Studies: Associates’ Travel Grant (\$500)
- 1993–1994 Government of Ontario: Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$12k)
 - University College, U. of Toronto: First Reuben Wells Leonard Fellowship (\$1400)

Undergraduate:

- 1992 University College, U. of Toronto: Evelyn MacDonald Scholarship (\$750)
 - Graduated with “High Distinction”
 - Faculty of Arts and Sciences, U. of Toronto: “Faculty Scholar”
- 1991–1992 University College, U. of Toronto: Burton Scholarship (\$500)
 - Faculty of Arts and Sciences, U. of Toronto: “Faculty Scholar”
- 1991 University College, U. of Toronto: Woodside Prize for History (\$120)

LANGUAGES:

Conversation:

- Spanish (high proficiency)
- Catalan (high proficiency)
- French (intermediate)

Literacy:

- Arabic
- Latin
- Aljamiado
- German
- Portuguese
- Ladino/Judezmo
- Italian
- Medieval Iberian Romance variants
- Occitan

PUBLICATIONS:

Monographs, Edited Books & Book-Length Editions:

- Proposed *Muslims and Islam in Medieval Europe, 600–1650* (proposed: Cambridge University Press)
James the Conqueror. A Crusader King, a Forgotten Renaissance, and the Empire that Never Was (pre-proposal: Basic Books)
- In progress *Common Histories: Everyday Lives of Muslims and Jews in Medieval Spain.*
- *The Paradoxes of Plurality: Ethno-Religious Diversity and the Mediterranean Origins of the West*
- Contract *The Sea in the Middle: The Mediterranean World 600–1700CE* [working title]; undergraduate course-book, with Thomas E. Burman and Mark D. Meyerson (Berkeley: University of California Press).
- *The Sea in the Middle: Documents* [working title]; source anthology, ed. with Thomas E. Burman and Mark D. Meyerson (Berkeley: University of California Press).
- 2018 “**Interfaith Dialogue and Disputation in the Medieval Mediterranean**,” *Medieval Encounters* 24 (5–6) special edition; co-editor with Alex Novikoff (History, Kenyon College). 171pp.
- *Kingdoms of Faith: A New History of Islamic Spain* (New York: Basic Books). 482pp.
 - Book club distribution: Bookspan;
 - UK/Commonwealth edition: Hurst & Co. (London UK), June 2018;
 - Audiobook (Old Saybrook, CT: Tantor Media, November 2018) available on [audible.com](https://www.audible.com);
 - German translation (Munich: Beck Verlag, forthcoming 2019);
 - Spanish translation (Barcelona: Pasado y Presente, forthcoming 2019);
 - Simplified Chinese translation (Beijing: Ginkgo, forthcoming 2019);
 - Complex Chinese translation (Taipei: Owl Publishing, forthcoming 2019);
 - Korean translation (Seoul: Ghil, forthcoming 2020);
 - Polish translation (Posnan: Wydawniczy Rebis, forthcoming 2020).
 - Literary Reviews: *CHOICE* (November 2018); *Christian Century* (7 November 2018); *Asian Review of Books* (4 September 2018); *The Financial Times* (3 August 2018); *The New Yorker* (23 July 2018); *Library Journal* (1 May 2018; **starred review**);
 - Scholarly Reviews: *Anuari d’Estudis Medievalls* (forthcoming); *Reading Religion* (AAR; 23 October 2018); *History Today* (October 2018).
- 2017 *Can We Talk Mediterranean? Considerations on an Emerging Paradigm in Medieval and Early Modern Studies* (New York: Palgrave): co-editor, with Sharon Kinoshita (Literature, UC Santa Cruz). 153pp.
- Reviews: *H-Soz-Kult* (01.06.2018); *postmedieval: a journal of medieval cultural studies* (2018) 9, 104–6.
- 2014 *Infidel Kings and Unholy Warriors: Faith, Power, and Violence in the Age of Crusade and Jihad* (New York: Farrar, Straus & Giroux). 390pp. Hardcover & Kindle. Paperback, August 2015.
- Dutch translation: *Koningen, kruisvaarders & kalifen. Geloof, macht en geweld ten tijde van de kruistocent en de jihad* (Antwerp: De Bezige Bij, 2015).
 - ◆ **honorable mention** (European and World History) 2015 American Publishers [PROSE Awards](#) for Professional and Scholarly Excellence
 - Literary Reviews: *AramcoWorld* (31 January 2016); *San Francisco Book Review* (26 November 2014; **5 stars**); *The New Yorker* (6 October 2014); *Wichita Eagle* (28 September 2014); *Buffalo News* (31 August 2014); *Shelf Awareness* (29 August 2014); *Christian Science Monitor* (28 August 2014); *Publishers Weekly* (9 June 2014; **book of the week**, 28 August 2014); *Shepherd Express* (28 August 2014); *Kirkus Reviews* (1 June 2014); *Book List* (1 June 2014; **starred review**).
 - Scholarly Reviews: *The Historian* (December 2016); *The International Spectator* (October 2016); *Past Tense: Graduate Review of History* (Spring 2016); *The Medieval Review* (15 August 2015); *Islam and Muslim-Christian Relations* (November 2014); *Al-Jadid* (December 2014).

- ***Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom, c. 1050–1614*** (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press). 645pp. Paperback, August 2015
 - ◆ **winner Charles Homer Haskins Medal** for a distinguished book in Medieval Studies (Medieval Academy of America), 2018;
 - ◆ **winner Kayden Book Award** for best book (trienniel) in History and the Arts (University of Colorado Boulder), 2018;
 - ◆ **winner Albert Hourani Book Award** for the best book in Middle Eastern and Islamic History (Middle East Studies Association), 2014.
- Reviews: *Speculum* (October 2017); *Journal of the Australian Early Medieval Association* (2016); *American Historical Review* (April 2016); *English Historical Review* (February 2016); *Journal of Religion in Europe* (October 2015); *History Today* (September 2015); *The Medieval Review* (June 2015); *Anuari d'estudis medievals* (June 2015); *Journal of Islamic Studies* (May 2015); *Review of Middle East Studies* (February 2015); *Choice* (October 2014).
- 2009 ***Worlds of History and Economics. Essays in Honour of Andrew M. Watson*** (Valencia: Universitat de València), editor. 263pp.
- 2004 ***The Victors and the Vanquished: Christians and Muslims in Catalonia and Aragon, 1050–1300*** (Cambridge UK: Cambridge University Press). [Reprint, 2005; Paperback, 2007.] 480pp.
 - ◆ **winner Premio del Rey** for best book (biennial) on pre-1512 Spain (American Historical Association), 2006;
 - ◆ **winner John E. Fagg Prize** for best book on Spanish or Latin American History (American Historical Association), 2005.
- Reviews: *Annales: Histoire, Sciences Sociales* 59 (2004), *The Medieval Review* (13 May 2005), *Anuario d'Estudios Medievales* 35 (2005), *American Historical Review* 110 (2006), *English Historical Review* 121 (2006), *AARHMS Newsletter* (Fall 2006), *SSHPS Bulletin* (Fall 2006), *History* 92 (2007), *Le Moyen Âge* 93 (2007), *Medieval Encounters* 13 (2007), *Cahiers du Civilisation Médiévale* 59 (2007), *Studies in Medieval and Renaissance Teaching* 16 (2009), *Studi Medievali* 50 (2009), *Journal of Semitic Studies* 55 (2010).
- Revised Spanish translation: ***Vencedores y vencidos: Cristianos y musulmanes de Cataluña y Aragón, 1050–1300*** (Valencia: Universitat de València, 2007). 494pp.
- Reviews: *Miscelánea de estudios árabes y hebraicos* 60 (2011); *Bulletin of Spanish Studies* 90 (2013) *Studia historica. Ha. medieval* 13 (2013).
- 1999 “**Fuero General de Navarra**” [AGN: Archivos generales C3] ed., in F. Waltman, ed., *Textos y concordancias electrónicas del ‘Fuero General de Navarra’* CD-ROM (Madison Hispanic Seminary of Medieval Studies).
- 1998/1999 “**New Approaches to the Study of Muslims in the Medieval West**” *Scripta Mediterranea* (Canadian Institute for Mediterranean Studies) 19/20; co-editor with Karla Mallette. 291pp.

Popular Monographs:

- 2017 *Languedoc & Roussillon* fully-revised 5th edition (London: Rough Guides) [credited as co-author]. 400pp.
- 2010 *Languedoc & Roussillon* fully-revised 4th edition (London: Rough Guides). 400pp.
- 2007 *Languedoc & Roussillon* fully-revised 3rd edition (London: Rough Guides). 455pp.
- 2004 *Art Shop Eat Barcelona* co-author with Annie Bennet (London: A.C. Black). 192pp.
- *Languedoc & Roussillon* fully-revised 2nd edition (London: Rough Guides). 435pp.
- 2001 *Barcelona* author of fully-revised 5th edition (London: Rough Guides) [credited to Jules Brown]. 320pp.
- *Languedoc & Roussillon* (London: Rough Guides); 2nd printing May 2002. 400pp.

Journal Articles, Book Sections and Lengthy Editions (refereed=*, editorial review=#, invited=@):

- In progress “Words with Power: ‘Reconquest,’ *Convivencia* and the Distortion of History,” in *La Reconquista. Ideología y justificación de la guerra santa peninsular* (Palmela: forthcoming 2019)
- “Convivencia y las relaciones entre musulmanes, cristianos y judíos en la península medieval” *Al-Andalus y la Historia* [popular article]
- “Pedagogy and Perspective: Teaching the Crusades Inside Out” [pedagogical article]
- “Minor Subjects: Muslims in the *Furs* of Medieval Valencia” [research article]
- “Fear and Loathing in Medieval Spain? Vulnerability & Confidence among the Muslim Minority of Christian Aragon” [research article]
- “Strange Fruit in Fourteenth-Century Aragon: The Lynching of Joseph “Eight Eggs” and Muslim-Christian Relations in an Age of “*Convivencia*” [research article]
- “Forced Compromises: Legitimacy and Law in the Multi-Confessional Crown of Aragon” [research article]

- Submitted “Beyond Nostalgia: Berber “Puritans” and the End of Andalusi Convivencia?” *Past & Present*
- In press “Mudéjares,” *The Routledge Companion to Medieval Iberia: Unity and Diversity*, eds.: E. Michael Gerli & Ryan D. Giles (Routledge).
- “Mudéjar,” *The Encyclopedia of Islam*, Third Edition. eds.: Kate Fleet, et al. (Leiden: Brill, 2015–).
 - “The Abenferres: “Little Caesars” of Fourteenth-Century Mudéjar Lleida” in R. Vose and B. Vicens, eds., *To Live Like a Moor: Christian Perceptions of Muslim Identity in Medieval and Early Modern Spain. Studies in Honor of O. Remie Constable* (New York: Palgrave: 2019).
- 2017 “Why the Mediterranean?” in *Can We Talk Mediterranean? Reflections on an Emerging Paradigm in Medieval Studies*, ed. B. Catlos, with S. Kinoshita (New York: Palgrave), pp. 1–18.
- 2016 ““To All Our Faithful Muslim Subjects”: the Islamic Minority in Western Christendom,” *Medieval Perspectives* 30 (2015): 21–44. @*
- 2015 “Christian-Muslim-Jewish Relations, Medieval “Spain,” and the Mediterranean: An Historiographical Op-Ed,” *In and Of the Mediterranean: Medieval and Early Modern Iberian Studies*, ed. N. Silleras-Fernández & M. Hamilton (Nashville: Vanderbilt University Press, Hispanic Issues) pp. 1–16. @*
- ““Entre eulx plusieurs Sarrazins...”: Jueus i musulmans al regne de Martí I” in M.T. Ferrer i Mallol, ed., *Actas: Martí l’Humà, el darrer rei de la dinastia de Barcelona (1396–1410). L’interregne i el compromís de Casp* (Barcelona: Institut d’Estudis Catalans), pp. 483–501. @#
- 2014 “Ethno-Religious Minorities,” in *A Companion to Mediterranean History*, P. Horden and S. Kinoshita, eds., (London: Wiley-Blackwell), pp. 361–77.*
- “Is It “Country Air” that Makes Infidels Free? Religious Diversity in the Non-Urban Environment of the Medieval Crown of Aragon and Beyond,” in *La cohabitation religieuse dans les villes Européennes, X^e–XV^e siècles/ Religious cohabitation in European towns (10th–15th centuries)*, John Tolan and Stéphane Boissollier, eds. (Turnhout: Brepols, 2014), pp. 141-66. @#
 - ““Accursed, Superior Men”: Political Power and Ethno-religious Minorities in the Medieval Mediterranean” *Comparative Studies in Society and History* 56 (2014): 844–69.
♦ **winner** 47th Annual Walter Prescott Webb Essay Competition (University of Texas)*
- 2013 “Tyranny and the Mundane: Bureaucracy and (In)Justice in 14th-Century Aragon as Glimpsed through the Slave Trade and the Exercise of Law (Daroca, 1318)” in J. Mutge, et al., ed., *La Corona catalanoaragonesa, l’Islam i el món mediterrani. Estudis d’història medieval en homenatge a la doctora Maria Teresa Ferrer i Mallol* (Barcelona: Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas), pp. 149–55.
- 2012 [2013] “Sketching a Pre-Modern Colonial Elite: Muslim Communities and their Rulers in Medieval Aragón” *Mélanges de l’École Française de Rome* 124 (2012): 495–509. ** [journal issue to be republished as a monograph in English in the series *The Medieval Countryside* (Turnhout: Brepols)].
- 2011 “Who was Philip of Mahdia and Why Did He Have to Die? Confessional Identity and Political Power in the Twelfth-Century Mediterranean” in *Mediterranean Chronicle* 1: 73–103.*
- 2009 “Privilegio y poder en el Aragón mudéjar: el auge y declive del çaualaquem Çalema” in Ana Echevarría, ed., *Biografías mudéjares (Estudios onomástico-biográficos de al-Andalus)* (Madrid: CSIC), pp. 133–82. @*
- “Dos musulmanas pleitean contra un oficial de su aljama, en un proceso concluido en Daroca, el 10 de noviembre de 1300” in *Actas. XI Simposio Internacional de Mudéjarismo* (Teruel: Instituto de Estudios Turolenses), pp. 619–32. @#
 - “The de Reys (1220–1501): The Evolution of a “Middle-Class” Muslim Family in Christian Aragon” *Viator* 40: 197–219.*
♦ **winner** 2010 Society for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies Julian Bishko Prize, see above.
 - “Justice Served or Justice Subverted? Two Muslim Women Sue a Local Mudéjar Official in Thirteenth-Century Aragon” *Anuario de estudios medievales* 39: 177–202.*
- 2008 “Impuestos e Identidad: Comunidades fiscales y confessionales en la Corona de Aragón en el siglo XIII” in *Actas. X Simposio Internacional de Mudéjarismo* (Teruel: Instituto de Estudios Turolenses), pp. 481–86. @#
- 2006 “‘ç’Conflicte entre cultures’ o *conveniència*? Identidad religiosa y realidad política en la Península Ibérica” in *Actas. XVIII Congrés d’Història de la Corona d’Aragó* (Valencia: Universitat de València), II: 1717–31. @#

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- “Conflicts of Interest: Personal and Community Survival in the Muslim *Aljama* of Lleida”: 13 February, *4th Annual Arizona Centre for Medieval and Renaissance Studies Conference* at Arizona State University, Tempe AZ.
- 1996 “Muslims and the Law in the Early Aragonese Reconquest”: 11 May, *31st International Congress on Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, MI.
- 1995 “To Catch a Spy: The Case of Zayn al-Din and Ibn Duḡan”: 1 September, *Congress of the Society for the Study of the Crusades and the Latin East* (18th International Congress of Historical Sciences) at Montreal.

Major Research Projects:

- 2010–2015 “Mediterranean Studies Multi-Campus Research Project” *University of California MRP*, 1 July 2010– 30 June 2015 (budget: \$493,400); Principal Investigator (to July 2012)/ Co-Director (2010–15)

Programs, Conferences, and Sessions Organized or Moderated (invited=@; outreach=+):

- Upcoming “Catalonia, the Crown of Aragon and the Pre-Modern Mediterranean: Politics, Language, Culture”: 10–13 July, co-organizer (with Núria Silleras-Fernández) *Association for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies* (Barcelona) [proposed]
- “Movement, Mobility and Mediterranean Culture” : 8-11 July, co-organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita) *Society for the Medieval Mediterranean* (Barcelona) [proposed]
 - “Mas allà que el “choque de las civilizaciones”: Cristianos y musulmanes en paz y conflicto en el Mediterraneo tardo-medieval”: 28 May 2019, director (invited) of a one-day conference at the *Escuela Española de Historia y Arqueología en Roma* (Rome, Italy).@+
 - “Captivity”: 3 & 4 May 2019, organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita & Amy Remensnyder, History: Brown), *Mediterranean Seminar Winter 2019 Workshop* (Providence RI)
 - “Muslims and Islam in Medieval and Early Modern Europe – New Directions”: 17 April 2019, International Symposium - University of Colorado Boulder (Boulder)
 - “Turning Points”: 1 & 2 March 2019, organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita & Molly Greene, History: Princeton), *Mediterranean Seminar Winter 2019 Workshop* (Princeton NJ)
 - “Renegades, Turncoats, and Refugees in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean”: 4–7 January 2019, panel co-organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita), *133rd American Historical Association Annual Meeting* (Chicago).
 - 2018 “Margins of the Mediterranean”: 26 & 27 October 2018, organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita & Karla Mallette, Romance Languages, U of Michigan), *Mediterranean Seminar Fall 2018 Workshop* (Ann Arbor MI).
 - “Orpheus in Hell: Moral Consolation and Sentimental Fiction,”: 17 October, a talk by visiting scholar Sol Miguel-Prendes (Spanish & Italian: Wake Forest University) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)
 - “All the Queen’s Men and Women: Portuguese Queens’ Households and Power (13th-15th centuries)”: 24 April, a talk by visiting scholar Maria Manuela Tavares dos Santos Silva (University of Lisbon) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)
 - “Migrations”: 13 & 14 April, organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita & David Wacks, Spanish: U of Oregon) *Mediterranean Seminar Spring 2018 Workshop* (Eugene OR)
 - “Trade and Material Culture in the Mediterranean”: 2 March 2018, panel co-organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita) & chair, *Medieval Academy of America* (Atlanta GA).

- “The Uses of Memory in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean”: 2 & 3 February, organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita & Thomas Burman, Medieval Studies N-D) *Mediterranean Seminar Winter 2018 Workshop* (Notre Dame)
- “From Treasury to Collection: The Sumptuous Objects of Royal Iberian Women from the 14th to the 16th Centuries,”: 24 January a talk by visiting scholar Ana Maria Seabra de Almeida Rodrigues (Faculty of Letters, University of Lisbon) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)
- “Race and Nation (or Not?) in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean”: 4-7 January 2018, panel co-organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita), *132nd American Historical Association Annual Meeting* (Washington DC)
- 2017 • “Ethnicity, Faith and Communal Relations”: 3 & 4 November, organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita) *Mediterranean Seminar Fall 2017 Workshop* (University of Colorado at Boulder)
- “The Language of Exile: Hispano-Jewish Culture Before and After 1492,” 22 May 2017, public event featuring Brian Catlos, CU Boulder; Janet Jacobs, CU Boulder & David Bunis, Hebrew University). *CU Mediterranean Studies Group*. Organizer. +
- “Reading Ladino/Judezmo” 22–26 May, 2017 *2nd Mediterranean Seminar Summer Skills Seminar* (featuring David Bunis, Hebrew University).+
- “Mysticism and Devotion”: 21 & 22 April, 2017, co-organizer with Sharon Kinoshita (UCSC) and Nan Goodman (JWST), *Mediterranean Seminar Spring Workshop* (CU Boulder)
- “Muslims without Frontiers: Between the Maghrib and Iberia in the Fifteenth Century,” April 19: a talk by Dr. Roser Salicrú i Lluch (Medieval Studies: Institució Milà i Fontanals, CSIC, Barcelona)
- “Teaching the Medieval Mediterranean”: 8 April 2017, Co-organizer with Sharon Kinoshita (UCSC) and Thomas Burman (Notre Dame), *Annual Meeting of the Medieval Academy of America* (Toronto ON)
- “The Medieval Mediterranean V: “Transregional Histories”: 8 April 2017, Session Chair, *Annual Meeting of the Medieval Academy of America* (Toronto ON)
- “Religious Knowledge in the Premodern Mediterranean,” 24 March, Moderator *Regional AAR/SBL* (Boulder CO)
- “Science, Evolution, and Islam in the Modern Middle East” & “The Rational Sciences in Seventeenth Century Morocco: Philosophy, Incommensurability, and History” March 21: talk by Justin Stearns (Arab Crossroads Studies, New York University–Abu Dhabi) (co-organized with Aun Ali)
- “Colonialism and Indigenous Resistance in the PreModern Iberian Peninsula and the Andes” 14 March, Co-organizer: with Nuria Silleras Fernandez (SPAN) and Peter Elmore (SPAN), symposium featuring Maria Teresa Narvaez and Mercedes Lopez-Baralt *CU Mediterranean Studies Group* (CU Boulder).
- “Petrarca une a un converso y a un morisco: La Celestina y el Mancebo de Arévalo,” 14 March: a lecture/seminar Maria Teresa Narvaez (Universidad de Puerto Rico)
- “Culture Wars”: 16 & 17 February 2017, co-organizer w/ Sharon Kinoshita (UCSC) & Kenneth Baxter Wolf (Pomona College) *Mediterranean Seminar Winter Workshop* (Pomona College) +
- “Spain’s Long Fifteenth Century: A Historical, Literary, and Cultural View” & “An Unknown Compendium of Juan II of Castile”— a lecture and seminar by Nancy Marino (Distinguished Professor of Spanish, Romance and Classical Studies, Michigan State University) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)
- 2016 • “Intellectual Interactions and Interactions among Intellectuals”: 19–21 November *American Academy of Religion* (San Antonio TX): co-organizer (w/ David Freidenreich, Colby College) & chair.
- “Sefarad and Beyond: From the Golden Age to Exile” 15 November, public event featuring music by Ljuba Davis and a presentation by Ross Brann (Near Eastern Studies, Cornell), Co-organizer w/ Sabahat Adil & Nan Goodman (JWST). (CU Boulder) +
- “Representations of Islam and the Prophet Muhammad in 13th century Castile” 14 November, Guest Seminar by Ross Brann (Near Eastern Studies, Cornell), Co-organizer w/ Sabahat Adil. (CU Boulder)
- “Magic, Medicine and Science: Cultures of Knowledge in the Medieval Mediterranean” 11 & 12 November *Mediterranean Seminar Fall Workshop* (Hill Monastic Manuscript Library, St. John’s University, Collegetown MN) Co-organizer w/ Sharon Kinoshita (UCSC) & Daniel Gullo (HMML) +

- “Ibn Tumlus of Alcira (d. 1223) on Juridical Inferences and Logic: Al-Qawl fi al-Maqayis al-Fiqhiyya” 7 October, a workshop featuring Fouad Ben Ahmed (Dar el-Hadith el-Hassania Institute of Higher Islamic Studies), Organizer & moderator. (CU Boulder)
- “Islamic Philosophy: A Death Greatly Exaggerated?” 30 September, Co-organizer with Robert Pasnau (CU Boulder), *CU Mediterranean Studies Group* (CU Boulder)
- “Europe’s Problem with Islam.... 500 Years Ago: Moriscos Identity & Aljamiado Literature in Early Modern Spain” 16 May, public event (featuring Sabahat Adil, CU Boulder; Brian Catlos, CU Boulder; Nuria Martínez-de-Castilla, Universidad Complutense de Madrid). *CU Mediterranean Studies Group*. Co-Organizer. +
- “Reading Aljamiado” 17–20 May 1st *Mediterranean Seminar Summer Skills Seminar* (featuring Nuria Martínez de Castilla). Co-organizer (with Sabahat Adil, Asian Languages and Civilizations) +
- “The Remembered Imam: Truth and Meaning in Early Muslim Historiography,” 19 April, a talk by Najam Haider (Barnard) *CU Mediterranean Studies Group* (Boulder CO): co-organizer (with Aun Ali) & respondent.
- “Politics, Identity, and Religion: Representation in the Mediterranean,” 8–9 April *Mediterranean Seminar Spring Workshop* (Center for Armenian Studies, CSU Fresno). Co-organizer w/ Sharon Kinoshita (UCSC) & Sergio La Porta (CSU Fresno) +
- “Subterfuge and Deception in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean” 2–5 March *Mediterranean Seminar Winter Workshop* (Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University). Co-organizer w/ Sharon Kinoshita (UCSC) & William Granara (Harvard) +
- “Mediterranean Convivencia? – Two Round Tables in Honor of Thomas F. Glick”: 26 & 27 February (*Medieval Academy of America Annual Meeting* (Boston MA) Organizer & Moderator; w/Mark Abate: Westfield State) +
- “Instinctively Cosmopolitan: The Travels and Encounters of Ahmad b. Qasim al-Hajari in the Early Modern Mediterranean”: 9 March, featuring Amina Nawaz (University of Tübingen) *CU Mediterranean Studies Group* Co-organizer (with Sabahat Adil, ALC)
- “Art as Institution: The Fabrication of Leonardo da Vinci’s Trattato della Pittura, 1651” 9 March (Claire Farago, ARTH) *CU Mediterranean Studies Group Faculty Workshop*: Organizer & Moderator.
- “A Theology of Travel in Medieval ‘Islamic’ Education”: 26 February, featuring Mujadad Zaman (University of Tübingen) *CU Mediterranean Studies Group* Co-organizer (with Sabahat Adil, ALC)
- “Imagining the World: Travel Writing and Early Modern Globalisation”: 19 February, featuring Nina Zhiri (UCSD) *CU Mediterranean Studies Group* Co-organizer (with Sabahat Adil, ALC)
- “Lost in Translation? Language, Literature, and Culture in the Early Modern Iberian Mediterranean”: 18 February, *CU Mediterranean Studies Group Symposium*, featuring John Dagenais (UCLA), Claire Gilbert (SLU), Fabien Montcher (SLU), Nina Zhiri (UCSD) Co-organizer (with Sabahat Adil, ALC), Moderator.
- 2015 • “Some Notes on the Relationship between Sunnis and Shi’is in Light of the Issue of Documentary Evidence in Islamic Law”: 18 November (Aun Hasan Ali, RLST), *CU Mediterranean Studies Group Faculty Workshop*: Organizer, Moderator & Respondent.
- “MEH/Med: Middle East History/Mediterranean”: 20 November, Conference Organizer, *University of Colorado at Boulder* (Boulder CO).
- “Was there an Islamo-Mediterranean Culture – and When?”: 20 November, Round Table Moderator, *MEH/Med: Middle East History/Mediterranean* (University of Colorado Boulder)
- “Some Notes on the Relationship between Sunnis and Shi’is in Light of the Issue of Documentary Evidence in Islamic Law” 18 November (Aun Hasan Ali, RLST), *CU Mediterranean Studies Group Faculty Workshop*: Organizer, Moderator & Respondent.
- “A Brief History of the Phrase ‘King of Kings’: Political, Religious, and Philological Considerations” 27 September (Sam Boyd, RLST), *CU Mediterranean Studies Group Faculty Workshop*: Organizer, Moderator & Respondent.
- “Translation and Agency in Late Medieval and Early Modern Catalonia and Beyond”: 29 June –1 July 2015, *15th International Colloquium of the North American Catalan Society* (Barcelona, Spain). Session Chair & Commentator.

- “Borders” 13 & 14 April 2015 (w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Oumelbenine Zhiri, Literature, UC San Diego), *UC Mediterranean Research Project Winter Workshop & Symposium*, co-organized with the University of California San Diego (La Jolla, CA)
- “Mediterranean Cuisine” & “Medieval Catalan Cookbooks”: 9 & 10, April lecture & seminar: Paul Freedman (History, Yale University)
- “Italy in the Mediterranean I: Conflict,” “Italy in the Mediterranean II: Images,” and “Italy in the Mediterranean III: Identities”: 26–29 March 2015, *American Association of Italian Studies* (Boulder CO). Organizer of Panels & Moderator. +
- “What Can The Visual Arts Tell Us About the Medieval Mediterranean World?”: 10 March, a lecture by Eva Hoffman (Art & Art History, Tufts University)
- “Living With Fear: Muslims and Christians in Late Medieval Valencia”: 17 February, a lecture by Mark D. Meyerson (History/ Medieval Studies, University of Toronto)
- “Ramon Marti, the Dominicans, and the Thirteenth-century Neglect of Islam”: 17 February, a lecture by Thomas E. Burman (History, University of Tennessee - Knoxville)
- “Beyond Crypto-Muslims: Perspectives on the Moriscos in the Early Modern Mediterranean”: 15 January, a seminar by Amina Nawaz (Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, Cambridge University)
- “Trade & Exchange” 30 January (w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Baki Tezcan, History, UC Davis), *UC Mediterranean Research Project Winter Workshop & Symposium*, co-organized with the University of California Davis (Davis CA)
- 2014 • “Muslim Clients and Subjects in the Pre-Modern Christian Mediterranean”: 22–25 November 2014 (with Abigail Krasner Balbale, Bard Graduate Center), *Middle East Studies Association Annual Meeting* (Washington DC). Session Organizer & Moderator.
- “The Politics of Language in the Medieval Western Mediterranean: From Unity to Fragmentation” & “Royal Entries in Late Medieval and Early Modern Spain”: 17 November, a lecture & seminar by Teofio F. Ruiz (History, UCLA)
- “Religion and Identity in Medieval Spain”: 10 November, a seminar by David Nirenberg (History & Committee on Social Thought, University of Chicago)
- “Land and Sea in the Mediterranean World”: 7–8 November (w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Edward English, History, UC Santa Barbara), *UC Mediterranean Research Project Fall Workshop & Symposium*, co-organized with University of California Santa Barbara +
- “On Speaking Terms: Negotiating Boundaries in the Medieval Western Mediterranean”: 7 September, *Rocky Mountain Interdisciplinary History Conference* (University of Colorado at Boulder). Session Chair.
- “Medieval Iberia and the Mediterranean” 26 June, *Association for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies Annual Conference*, Modena, Italy, Session Organizer & Moderator.
- “History, Literature and Culture in a Mediterranean Frame” 15 June (w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Roberta Morosini, Romance Languages, Wake Forest University) a one-day symposium at *Instituto Sant’Anna* (Sorrento, Italy)
- “Power Relations and Religious Communities in the Western Mediterranean” & “Mediterranean Connectivities” 2 & 3 May (w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Andrew Devereux, History, LMU) *UC Mediterranean Research Project Spring Workshop & Symposium*, co-organized with the *Spain-North Africa Project* and Loyola Marymount University (Los Angeles, CA). +
- “On medieval Spanish consensual communities: towns, Jewish and Muslim Quarters, Guilds, Irrigation Communities, and What They Have in Common”: 24 April, a lecture Thomas F. Glick (Medieval Studies, Boston University)
- “The Medieval Scientific Translation Movement and the Birth of Hebrew Science”⁴: 23 April, a lecture Thomas F. Glick (Medieval Studies, Boston University)
- “Origins of the Medieval Spanish Jewish Community: Diaspora Remnants or Berber Tribesmen?”: 22 April, a lecture Thomas F. Glick (Medieval Studies, Boston University)
- “Minorities in the Mediterranean” 7 & 8 March (w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Fred Astren, Jewish Studies, SFSU), *UC Mediterranean Research Project Winter Workshop & Symposium*, co-organized with San Francisco State University (San Francisco CA) +
- “Holy Week Violence in Valencia: Interpreting Christian-Jewish Relations in Late Medieval Spain”: 22 February lecture Mark Meyerson (History/Medieval Studies, University of Toronto)

- “Teaching across Canons: the Mediterranean and other Comparative Frames”: 22 February Mediterranean Studies symposium *University of Colorado at Boulder* • Organizer
- “Medieval Christians Reading the Qur’an”: 18 February lecture Thomas E. Burman (History, University of Tennessee – Knoxville)
- “Religious Diversity in the Medieval Mediterranean I: Inter-Communal Disputation and Discussion” & “Religious Diversity in the Medieval Mediterranean II: Intra-Communal Disputation and Discussion” 2–5 January, *128th American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, Washington DC, Session Co-Organizer, Chair & Commentator (w/ Alex Novikoff, Fordham University); Session sponsors: *The Mediterranean Seminar* and *The Medieval Academy of America*. +
- 2013 “Enemies of the Faith? Jews, Lutherans and Muslims in Spanish Genoa (1492–1648)” 4 December, a workshop featuring Celine Dauverd (History, CU Boulder)
- “Translation and Mediterranean Culture” 15–16 November, (Co-organizer with Sharon Kinoshita, and Ignacio Navarro) UC Mediterranean Research Project Fall Workshop & Conference, Townsend Center for the Humanities, UC Berkeley. +
- Boccaccio’s *Sicurano Da Finale* and *Paganino Da Mare*: Merchants, Corsairs And Seafaring Identities In *Decameron*” 30 October a workshop featuring Valerio Ferme (French and Italian, CU Boulder)
- “Law and Religion” 13–14 September *Moving Beyond the “Land of the Three Cultures”:* *Re-Thinking Medieval Iberia*, History Department, University of Notre Dame; Session Moderator. By Invitation.
- “Mediterranean and Maritime Perspectives” 2–4 May, (Co-organizer with Sharon Kinoshita) *UCMRP Spring Workshop & Conference*, University of California Santa Cruz
- “Ships, Harbours and Sea Travel”: 9 July, Chair *Society for the Medieval Mediterranean* (Cambridge UK).
- “Gendering the Mediterranean” 2 February, (Co-organizer with Sharon Kinoshita) *UCMRP Winter Workshop*, in conjunction with the UCLA CMRS Ahmanson Conference, 31 January–2 February, University of California at Los Angeles
- “Stories of the Mediterranean in the Long Middle Ages I: Lives” & “Stories of the Mediterranean in the Long Middle Ages II: Places” 4 January, *127th American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, New Orleans, Session Co-Organizer, Chair & Commentator (w/ Andrew Devereux, Loyola Marymount); Session sponsor: *The Mediterranean Seminar* and *The Medieval Academy of America*. +
- 2012 “Excavating the Past” 9 November, (Co-organizer with Sharon Kinoshita) *UCMRP Fall Workshop*, University of California at Santa Barbara
- “A Tale of Two Colonates: The Legal Status of Tenants and Slaves in the Late Antique Eastern and Western Mediterranean”: 26 October - a workshop/round table featuring Noel Lenski (Classics, CU Boulder)
- “The Languages of Genoese Slavery”: 5 October - a workshop and panel discussion featuring Steven Epstein (Medieval History University of Kansas at Lawrence)
- “Domino Effects and Hybridization of the Mediterranean,” 6–9 September *4th International Conference of Mediterranean Worlds*, (Istanbul, Turkey), Conference Organization Committee Member (Organizer: Luca Zavagno, Eastern Mediterranean University) +
- “Networks and Knowledge: Synthesis and Innovation in the Muslim-Christian-Jewish Medieval Mediterranean,” July 2–27, Co-Director (w/ S. Kinoshita), *NEH Summer Institute for College and University Professors* (Barcelona); in conjunction with the Universitat Pompeu Fabra (Barcelona), Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas, Arxiu de la Corona d’Aragó (Barcelona), Museu de la Ciutat (Barcelona), Museu d’Art de Girona, Associació del Call de Girona, Rough Guides+
- “The End of Time/ Concept of Messiah in Judaism, Christianity and Islam,” 27 Sept. A Panel sponsored by the Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, Student Government Rep Council and Multicultural Mosaic Foundation, University of Colorado at Boulder. Panel Moderator+
- “The End of Convivencia? The Expulsion of Muslims from Latin Christendom” 19–21 April 2012, *Early Modern Migrations: Exiles, Expulsion, & Religious Refugees, 1400–1700*, Centre for Renaissance and Reformation Studies, Victoria University (Toronto). Session Organizer. +
- “Can We Talk Mediterranean?”: 5–7 April (Co-Organizer w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Claire Fargo, CU Boulder) *UCMRP Spring Workshop & Round Table*, UC Santa Cruz & University of Colorado at Boulder

- “Ethno-Religious Diversity and Pre-Modern Mediterranean Economy, Society and Culture” Workshop co-director (w/ Sharon Kinoshita, UCSC), 22-24 March 2012: *13th Mediterranean Research Meeting, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute* (Florence & Montecatini Terme, Italy).+
- “Reconstructing the Mediterranean”: 3–4 February (Co-Organizer w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Nina Zhiri, UCSD) *UCMRP Winter Workshop*, UC Santa Cruz & University of California San Diego
- “The Transformation of Christian and Muslim Communities from Spiritual to Territorial after the Wars of Twelfth-Century Iberia”; 8 January 2012, *126th American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, Session Moderator/Commentator.
- “Pirates, State Actors, and Hegemonic Systems in the Pre-modern Mediterranean, I: Hegemony and Legitimacy” and “II: Transgressors and Opportunists”; 6 January 2012, *126th American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, Chicago, Session Co-Organizer (w/ Karla Mallette, U Michigan); session sponsor: *The Mediterranean Seminar*.
- 2011 “Religion and Law in the Medieval Mediterranean World” 21 November 2011, *American Academy of Religion Annual Meeting*, San Francisco CA. Session Co-Organizer (w/ David Freidenreich, Colby College) +
- “Religious Identity in the Late Medieval and Early Modern Mediterranean”: 17 November - seminar Gerard Wiegers, (Religious Studies, University of Amsterdam)
- “The Granadan Translator Miguel de Luna, the Lead Books and the Quijote” & “Crypto-Religion in the Mediterranean: The Life and Times of Samuel Pallache”: 15 November, two lectures by Gerard Wiegers, (Religious Studies, University of Amsterdam)
- “Rivalry & Rhetoric”: 29 October (Co-Organizer w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Chris Chism, UCLA) *UCMRP Winter Workshop*, UC Santa Cruz & University of California Los Angeles
- “Convergence of the Mediterranean: Commerce, Capital and Trade Routes in the History of a Sea,” 6–9 September *3rd International Conference of Mediterranean Worlds*, (Salerno, Italy), Conference Co-Organizer (Organizer: Luca Zavagno, Eastern Mediterranean University)
- “Was Medieval Portugal Mediterranean?”: 1 July 2011, *42nd Association for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies Meeting*, Lisbon (Portugal), Session Co-Organizer (w/ S. Kinoshita, UCSC)
- “Mediterranean Empire,” 8–9 April, Co-organizer (w/ Sharon Kinoshita & Baki Tezcan, UCD): *UCMRP Spring Workshop*, University of California Santa Cruz & University of California at Davis
- “Ethnic Identity in the Medieval Mediterranean,” 30 March, University of California at Davis: Workshop Co-organizer (with Baki Tezcan, UC Davis).
- “Mediterranean Princely Courts and the Transmission of Culture,” 19 February, *University of California Santa Barbara*, Conference Board Member, co-Organizer (Organizer: Edward English, UC Santa Barbara)
- “Court Culture in the Mediterranean,” 18 February, Co-organizer (w/ Sharon Kinoshita): *UCMRP Winter Workshop*, University of California Santa Cruz & University of California at Santa Barbara
- “Pre- and Early Modern Literature in a Mediterranean Context” 8 January, Session Co-organizer (w/ Sharon Kinoshita): *Modern Language Association Annual Meeting*, Los Angeles CA
- 2010 “Why the Mediterranean?,” 8 October, Co-organizer (w/ Sharon Kinoshita): *UCMRP Fall Workshop*, University of California Santa Cruz
- “Cultural Hybridities: Christians, Muslims and Jews and the Medieval Mediterranean,” July 4–30, Co-Director (w/ S. Kinoshita), *NEH Summer Institute for College and University Professors* (Barcelona); in conjunction with the Universitat Pompeu Fabra (Barcelona), Ministerio de Cultura de España, Arxiu de la Corona d’Aragó (Barcelona), Museu de la Ciutat (Barcelona), Museu d’Art de Girona, Associació del Call de Girona, Rough Guides
- “Rethinking the Medieval Mediterranean,” 10 January 2010, Session Co-organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita): *124th American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, San Diego.
- “Medieval Christian-Muslim Relations: Towards a Synthesis,” 9 January: Session Chair: *124th American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, San Diego.
- “Illuminating the Importance of Islands and Maritime Borderlands in Islamic Empires (Mediterranean),” 10 January 2010: Chair & Respondent: *124th American Historical Association Annual Meeting*, San Diego.

- 2009 “Alternative Teleologies: The Mediterranean and the Modern World(s),” (16 & 17 January) Co-organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita) *UC Santa Cruz*
- “A Sea of Diversity I & II” (8 July) Co-Organizer (w/ Fred Astren, Jewish Studies, SFSU): *Society for the Medieval Mediterranean*, Exeter University
 - “Religious Frontiers and Cultural Borders: Medieval Spain (I)” (8 July) Session Chair: *Society for the Medieval Mediterranean*, Exeter University, UK
- 2008 “The Medieval Mediterranean & the Origins of the West” 4-week NEH Summer Institute (Barcelona: June 29 –July 25), Co-Director (w/ S. Kinoshita, UCSC)
- 2007 “The Emergence of “the West”: Shifting Hegemonies in the Medieval Mediterranean”: convener of a 14-week Residential Research Group, *University of California Humanities Research Institute*, UC Irvine (co-organizer: Sharon Kinoshita, UCSC).
- “Moving Commodities and Identities in the Mediterranean”; 20 February, a seminar sponsored by *USC-Huntington Early Modern Studies Institute*: co-organizer (w/ Ramzi Rouighi, History, USC).
 - “Commerce and Religious Identity in the Late Medieval Mediterranean”: 15 February, a workshop sponsored by the UC France-Berkeley Fund: organizer and moderator.
- 2007–2008 “Inter-Confessional Relations and Trade in the Medieval Mediterranean/Relations interconfessionnelles et commerce en Méditerranée au Moyen Âge,” project funded by the UC France-Berkeley Fund: Principal Investigator, co-organized with Damien Coulon (U. Marc-Bloch, Strasbourg).
- 2007 “Medieval Mediterranean Studies: New Directions and Orientations”: 2–3 March, Panel co-organizer (with Sharon Kinoshita, UCSC) *Medieval Association of the Pacific Conference UCLA*.
- 2004 Introduction to Plenary Lecture “The Power of a Paradigm: Jewish Berbers Revisited” Thomas F. Glick (Boston University) 13 November at *Interrogating Iberian Frontiers*, Cornell University.
- 2003 “Identities”: 21 June, Session Moderator *Mediterranean Studies: Identities and Tensions* American University of Beirut (Lebanon).
- *Mediterranean Studies: Identities and Tensions*: 19–21 June. A workshop/symposium organized with Mia Fuller (UC Berkeley) and Karla Mallette (AUB) at the American University of Beirut (Lebanon).
 - “Mediterranean Studies as a Disciplinary Practice”: 21 June, Round Table Co-Moderator *Mediterranean Studies: Identities and Tensions* AUB (Lebanon).
- 2001 “Crown of Aragon I: Women and Power,” and “Crown of Aragon II: Borders and Margins”: 4 May, Organizer (with Núria Silleras, UAB) *36th International Congress of Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, MI.
- 2000 “Medieval Catalonia I: Gender, Court and Culture,” and “Medieval Catalonia II: Society, Class and Administration”: 5 & 6 May, Organizer (with Núria Silleras, UAB) *35th International Congress of Medieval Studies*, Kalamazoo, MI.
- 1998 “Transition and Compromise: Three Views of Socio-cultural Evolution in the Mediterranean”: Feb. 13, Session Organizer (with Karla Mallette, Stanford) *4th Arizona Centre for Medieval and Renaissance Studies Conference*, Tempe AZ.

Other Scholarly Presentations (invited=@; outreach=+):

- Upcoming “Latin Lords, Muslim Subjects: Islamic Communities in Medieval Europe” 14 May 2019 *Distinguished Scholar Series Dartmouth Society of Fellows* Dartmouth College (Dartmouth NH)
- “Intimate Enemies, Estranged Friends: Free Muslims in Medieval Europe”: 7 February 2019 *Yale Lectures in Medieval Studies* Yale University (New Haven, CT)@+
 - “Arab Pride and Scholarly Prejudices: Islamic Spain and the Golden Age of Convivencia”: 7 February 2019 *Yale Council of Latin American and Iberian Studies* Yale University (New Haven, CT)@+
 - “Islam and Muslims in Medieval Europe”: 5 February 2019, University Seminar for Medieval Studies, *Columbia University* (New York, NY)@
- 2018 “Identity and Scale in the Ideal and Application of Holy War in the medieval Iberian Peninsula” 1 December *La Reconquista. Ideología y justificación de la guerra santa peninsular* (Palmela, Portugal)@
- “Kingdoms of Faith: Writing a New History of Islamic Spain”: 8 November, Inaugural Joint Lecture in Medieval Middle Eastern Studies *Center for Middle Eastern Studies & the Committee on Medieval Studies*, Harvard University (Cambridge MA)@+

- “Beyond Nostalgia: Berber “Puritans” and the End of Andalusí *Convivencia*?”: 13 October 2018 *Iberia, The Mediterranean, and the World in the Late Middle Ages and the Early Modern Period* Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies, UCLA (Los Angeles CA)@
- “The Muslims of Medieval Europe”: 14 June, *History Department University of Leiden* (Leiden, Netherlands).
- “*Convivencia* and *Conveniencia*: “Toleration” and Convenience in Medieval Spain and Beyond.” *Convivencia Debates: Issues and Methods in the Study of the History of Interreligious Contact in Medieval and Early Modern Europe*”: 13 June, University of Amsterdam (Amsterdam).
- “Pragmatism and “Tolerance”: The Muslim Minority in Medieval Europe”: 12 April *Oregon State University* (Corvallis OR)@
- “Faithful Infidels: The Muslim Minority of Medieval Europe”: 11 April *Portland State University* (Portland OR)@
- “The Principal of Convenience and Christian-Muslim Relations in the Hafsid Caliphate”: 14 February *Tunis Hafside - Capitale du Califat* (American Institute for Maghrib Studies and Centre d’Etudes Maghrébines à Tunis) keynote @ +
- ““All Our Faithful Muslims”: The Islamic Communities of Medieval Europe”: 23 January *Catholic University of America* (Washington DC)@
- 2017 “Turning the Crusades Inside Out - Teaching Holy War in the Mediterranean”: 13 October, Interconnected Medieval Worlds., UC Santa Barbara
- “Beyond Nostalgia: Berber “Puritans” and the End of Andalusí *Convivencia*?”: 16 October Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies Round-Table, UCLA.
- “Foreigners in their Own Lands: The Muslims of Medieval Europe”: 25 April, Gray Boyce Lecture in Medieval History, Northwestern University, (Evanstown IL) keynote @ +
- “The Ambiguities of Resistance”: 14 March, *Colonialism and Indigenous Resistance in the PreModern Iberian Peninsula and the Andes* • *CU Mediterranean Studies Group* (CU Boulder) Round Table Participant.
- “Strange Bedfellows – Politics, Power and Religious Identity in the Crusade-Era Mediterranean”: 16 February, *Loyola Marymount University* (Los Angeles CA)
- “Infidels and Neighbours: The Muslims of Medieval Europe”: 1 February, *Department of Classical, Near Eastern and Religious Studies, University of British Columbia* (Vancouver, Canada).@ +
- 2016 “Els Catalans i el Mediterrani”: 7 July, Presentation of *Els catalans a la Mediterrània medieval Noves fonts, recerques i perspectives* (ed.: Lluís Gifuentes i Comamala, Roser Salicrú i Lluçh, M. Mercè viladrich i Grau), *Museu Marítim* (Barcelona).@
- “Reclaiming the Mediterranean”: 30 May, *The Intimate Sea: Jews, Families and Networks in the Mediterranean, Berman Center for Jewish Studies* (Lehigh University)/*University of Salento* (Lecce, Italy).@ +
- “The Abenferres: “Mudéjar “Little Caesars” of Fourteenth-Century Lleida”: 13 April, CU Mediterranean Studies Group (CU Boulder). Workshop presentation.
- “What Mediterranean Studies Can do for History”: 3 March 2016, Center for Middle Eastern Studies - Harvard University (Cambridge MA).@ +
- “Identity and Action in Religiously Diverse Societies: Theorizing Difference in the Medieval Mediterranean and Beyond”: 29 February 2016, Tufts University (Medford, MA).@ +
- “The Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom”: 11 February 2016, History Department, Brigham Young University (Provo, UT).@ +
- “Infidels or Brothers? Integration and Marginalization of European Muslims in the Pre-Modern Era”: 27 January, *The Islamophobia Series on Islam in Europe and Muslim- Christian Relations* • University of California Riverside@ +
- “Sicily, Egypt and Anatolia: A Mediterranean Triangle”: 21 January 2016 – Doing Mediterranean History, *The Marco Institute* • *University of Tennessee Knoxville*@ +
- 2015 “Mediterraneanizing the Medieval Master Narrative”: 12 November, Mediterranean Studies: A Symposium (Center for Medieval Studies, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities: Minneapolis MN)@ +
- “Escaping the Trap of the Master Narrative”: 24 October, Religion and the (Master) Narrative University of Colorado at Boulder. Round table participant.@

- “The Paradoxes of Plurality and Diversity in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 28 July, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- “Ethno-Religious Relations & Physics of Scale”: 20 July, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- “Conveniencia or “The Convenience Principle”: A Model for Ethno-Religious Interaction in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 13 July, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- “Mutual Intelligibility and the Culture of the Mediterranean”: 7 July, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- “Ethno-Religious Diversity in the Medieval Mediterranean: An Historical Introduction”: 6 July, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- “Subaltern Insurgents in the Islamic Eastern Mediterranean: Normans and Armenians in Political Networks of the Twelfth-Century”: 2 July, Non-Muslim Contributions to Islamic Civilization (Brigham Young University, London Centre: London UK).@+
- “Beyond the Clash of Civilizations: An Approach to Understanding Ethno-Religious Identity in the Plural Mediterranean”: June 15, *The Center for the Study of Conversion*, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev (Beersheva, Israel).@+
- “Crypto-Muslims in the Norman Court of Sicily: The Life and Death of a *Palace Saracen*”: 3 April, *Charleston College* (Charleston SC).@+
- “Beyond *Convivencia* and Conflict: The Muslims of the Medieval Christian West”: 2 April *The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina* (Charleston SC).@+
- “Life on the Margins: Muslim Subjects in the History and Historiography of Medieval Europe”: 2 April, *College of Charleston* (Charleston SC).@+
- “*A Secret Soldier of the Devil*?: Identity and Tensions in the Mediterranean Court of Roger II of Sicily”: 1 April, *Coastal Carolina University* (Conway SC).@+
- “*The King has not Authorized You to Kill Us...* Vulnerability, Violence, and Resistance among Subject Muslims in Medieval Spain”: 31 March, Wake Forest University (Winston-Salem NC) +
- “*We Ought Not Persecute Jews, but Saracens*: The Lives of Muslims in Medieval Latin Christendom”: 30 March, *Duke Islamic Studies*, Duke University (Durham NC) +
- “Mediterranean Discourses & the Taming of Islamic Art”: 11 March, Round Table Participant, *CU Mediterranean Studies Group*, University of Colorado Boulder.
- “Infidel Subjects: Identity, Politics and Culture in the Plural Medieval Mediterranean”: 20–21 February, Claremont Colleges *Late Antique-Medieval Studies Annual Conference*. Pomona College, (Claremont, CA), Keynote Speaker. +
- “Muslims, Christians and Jews in the Medieval Mediterranean: Pragmatism and Politics in an Age of Holy War”: 19 February, Whittier College, *Spanish, History and the Global & Cultural Studies Program* (Whittier CA). +
- “Between Prejudice and Pragmatism: The Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom”: 19 February, *University of California Riverside*.@ +
- 2014 • “*This sea, although narrow, is difficult to cross*: Terrestrial Commonalities and Maritime Connectivity in the Medieval Mediterranean World”: 7 November *UC Mediterranean Research Project Fall Workshop & Symposium*, University of California Santa Barbara, Keynote Speaker. +
- “Forgotten Histories: The Muslims of Medieval Latin Christendom”: 22 October, *Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal Center for Muslim-Christian Understanding*, Georgetown University (Washington, DC).@+
- “To All Our Faithful Muslim Subjects: the Islamic Minority in Western Christendom”: 17 October, [Southeastern Medieval Association Annual Meeting](#), “Conflict and Conquest”, Atlanta, Georgia. Keynote Speaker. +
- “Invisible Empires: Transregional Subaltern Elites and the Grand Historical Narrative in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 15 June, *History, Literature and Culture in a Mediterranean Frame*, Instituto Sant’Anna, Sorrento, Italy. +
- “Muslim *Dhimmis*: Comparing Minorities in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 22 April, *Dhimmis in medieval Islam: Text and context from the Arab Heartland, the Mediterranean and the Caucasus*, School of Oriental and African Studies (London UK) via remote link.@ +
- “Economic Integration and Ethno-Religious Diversity”: 7 March, Presentation in the Round Table “Vulnerabilities,” at *Minorities in the Mediterranean*, UC Mediterranean Research Project Winter Symposium, San Francisco State University (San Francisco CA).

- "Teaching across Canons: the Mediterranean and other Comparative Frames": 22 February Mediterranean Studies symposium *University of Colorado at Boulder* • Panelist
- "Fear and Loathing in Medieval Spain? Vulnerability & Confidence among the Muslim Minority of Christian Aragon": 31 January 2014, *Works-in-Progress*, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor MI. @
- "Physics of Scale and Registers of Rhetoric: Untangling the Paradoxes of Mediterranean Pluralism": 30 January 2014, *Mediterranean Initiative* – University of Michigan, Ann Arbor MI. @
- 2013 • "Paradoxes of Plurality: Society, Culture and Religion in the Ethno-Religiously Diverse Pre-Modern Mediterranean": 9 September, *Light Colour Line - Perceiving the Mediterranean: Conflicting Narratives and Ritual Dynamics, 5th International Conference of Mediterranean Worlds* Bern (Switzerland). Keynote Speaker.
- "Conveniència and Physics of Scale: Ethno-Religious Relations in Medieval Spain and the Mediterranean": 6 June, *Instituto de Historia CCHS-CSIC*, Madrid, Spain. @
- "Understanding Diverse Societies as Complex Systems: The Case of Muslim-Christian-Jewish Relations in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean": 6 March, *University of Colorado at Boulder Center for Humanities and the Arts*.
- "'According to Right and Reason..." the Conundrum of Religious Diversity and Secular Law in the Medieval Mediterranean," 28 February, *Goode Family Lecture*, University of Wyoming, Laramie WY. @
- "Politics of Convenience: Ethno-Religious Tolerance and Intolerance in the Medieval Mediterranean": 28 January, *Center for Asian Studies*. University of Colorado at Boulder.
- 2012 • "Exceptional Iberia or Normative Mediterranean? Contexts of Ethno-religious Relations in the Middle Ages": 17 October, *College of Arts and Sciences, Ohio State University*. @
- "Ethno-religious Relations & Physics of Scale" 24 July 2012, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- "Plural Societies in the Medieval Mediterranean: A Matter of Convenience" 16 July, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- "Mutual Intelligibility and the Culture of the Mediterranean": 9 July, *NEH Summer Institute* Barcelona, Spain.
- "Does City Air Make Infidels *Less* Free? Religious Diversity in Town and Country in the Medieval Mediterranean," 21–26 May 2012 workshop presentation at "La cohabitation religieuse dans les villes européennes et méditerranéennes, X^e–XVI^e siècles" Fondation Treilles, Tourtour (Provence)
- "The End of Convivencia?: The Expulsion of Muslims from Latin Christendom," 19–21 April 2012, *Early Modern Migrations: Exiles, Expulsion, & Religious Refugees, 1400–1700*, Centre for Renaissance and Reformation Studies, Victoria University (Toronto).
- 2011 • "Reluctant Tolerance: The Dilemma of Law in the Religiously Diverse Medieval Mediterranean": 13 September, *Zentrum Moderner Orient* (Berlin). @
- "Compromisos forçosos: la llei i la fe a l'entorn multi-religiós del Mediterrani medieval": 30 May, *Faculty of Law*, Universitat Pompeu Fabra (Barcelona).
- "Mediterranean Culture and *Conveniència*: Disentangling the Paradoxes of Pre-Modern Ethno-Religious Plurality," 18 April, *Colloquium on the Medieval and Early Modern Mediterranean: New Approaches*, Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto. Keynote Speaker.
- "What is "Medieval"?" Round-table participant, 1 April, *Medieval and Early Modern Studies*, University of Colorado at Boulder
- "Ethno-Religious Relations in the Medieval Mediterranean: Multi-Valence in a Complex System," 30 March 2011, *Ethnic Identity in the Medieval Mediterranean*, University of California at Davis.
- 2010 • "Reconsidering Geography & Culture in the Plural, Pre-Modern Mediterranean": 26 October, *Group for Ancient History and Mediterranean Archaeology*, University of California Berkeley. @
- "*Conveniència* or the Convenience Principle: A Model for Ethno-Religious Interaction in the Medieval Mediterranean": 7 October, *Mediterranean Seminar* (UC Mediterranean Studies Multi-Campus Research Project, UC Santa Cruz).
- "Diversity & Identity in the Medieval Mediterranean: Towards A Model": 27 July, *Cultural Hybridities: Christians, Muslims and Jews in the Medieval Mediterranean* (NEH Summer Institute, Barcelona, Spain).
- "'Entre eulx pluseurs Sarrazins...": Jueus i musulmans al regne de Martí I": June 2010, *Martí I, l'Humà, el darrer rei de la dinastia de Barcelona (1396-1410). L'interregne i el Compromís de Casp*, Institut d'Estudis Catalans, Barcelona. @

- “The Paradoxes of Pluralism: Ethno-Religious Diversity & the Medieval Mediterranean”: 14 April 2010, *Center for Cultural Studies*, University of California Santa Cruz.@
- “The Convenience Principle: Understanding Communal Interaction in the Multi-Confessional Medieval Mediterranean”: 8 April, *Faculty Research Seminar*, History Department, University of Colorado at Boulder.@
- “Ethno-religious Minorities in the Medieval Mediterranean: Comparative Approaches”: 20 March, *Comparative History Workshop*, McMaster University (Hamilton/ Niagara-on-the-Lake, Canada).@
- 2009 • “Willing Suspensions of Belief: Religion and Law in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 16 December, *Religious Studies Department*, University of Colorado at Boulder.@
- “The Convenience Principle: Religious Identity and Politics in the Medieval Mediterranean:” 16 November, *University of Southern California*.@
- “Forced Compromises: The Law and Religion in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 25 October, *Religion and Law in the Global Middle Ages*, University of Minnesota.@
- “Accursed, Superior Men: Power and Identity in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 5 October, *Mediterranean Studies II: East and West at the Center, 1050-1600*, University of California Los Angeles.@
- “Mudéjar Communities and their Rulers: A “Colonial Elite” in the Medieval Crown of Aragon”: 16 October, *École Française de Rome* (Rome).@
- “La medicina e la coltura e società mediterranea medioevali”: 19 June, *Civilizations and Medicine*, New Salerno Medical School (Università di Salerno), Salerno, Italy.@
- “A Shut and Open Case: Axa and Mariem aben Gamar Sue a Muslim Official in Thirteenth-Century Aragon”: 5 May, *Works in Progress*, History Dept., UCSC.
- “Geography and Culture in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean” 14 March, *History Department Seminar*, Johns Hopkins University (Baltimore MD).@
- “Towards the Mediterranean: Historical Coherence and Historiographical Orientation for the Study of the Medieval West”: 4 February, *Department of History*, Yale University (New Haven, CN).@
- “Was there a Medieval Mediteranean?” 17 January, *Alternative Teleologies: The Mediterranean and the Modern World(s)*, University of California Santa Cruz.
- 2008 • “Sketching a Pre-Modern Colonial Elite: Muslim Communities and their Rulers in Medieval Christian Iberia” 24 October, *Elites rurales méditerranéennes au Moyen Âge (V^e-XV^e siècle)*, Université de Paris - I, Sorbonne-Panthéon (Paris).@
- “Where Do We the Draw the Line? Borders and Frontiers in Medieval Europe and the Mediterranean” 20 October, *Mobilitéé-Echanges-Transferts Research Group*, Université Marc-Bloch (Strasbourg).@
- “A Genealogy of Marginalization? Non-Christians in the Royal Law of the Kingdom of Valencia, 1238–1525,” 17 May, *Christianities and Empire*, a workshop sponsored by UCSD Center for the Humanities, San Diego CA.@
- “Commerce, Crusade and Confessional Identity in the Late Middle Ages,” 16 February, at *Commerce and Religious Identity in the Late Medieval Mediterranean*, UCSC.
- “Confessional Identity, Crusade and Commerce in the Medieval Mediterranean”; 20 February, at *Moving Commodities and Identities in the Mediterranean*, University of Southern California, Los Angeles CA.
- “Cities of Light”: 26 March, Q &A and hosting of historical documentary film, *Stevenson College UCSC*
- 2007 • “Western Islam, Latin Christendom and the Crusades: ‘Civilizational Conflict’ or Collateral Damage?” 29 November, *Religious Studies*, UC Irvine.@
- “Is Mediterranean Studies Nothing More than an Excuse to Eat Goat Cheese and Olives? (or Power, Institutions, Identities: Cross-cultural Patterns in the Medieval Mediterranean)”: 26 October, Seminar/ Workshop, *Mediterranean Studies Research Focus Group*, UC Santa Barbara.@
- “Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell: Philip of Mahdiyya and the Ambiguous Court of Norman Sicily”: 30 April, *Itineraries in the Muslim Mediterranean*, Center for World History UC Santa Cruz.@
- “The Lynching of Joseph Eight-Eggs: Sources for the Study of Muslim-Christian relations in Medieval Iberia”: 8 March, *Mediterranean Studies Research Unit*, UCSC.
- “A Clash of Cultures?: The Muslims of the Latin Mediterranean”: 3 March, *Medieval Association of the Pacific Conference* UCLA, Los Angeles, CA.
- 2006 • “Sociedad e identidad en la edad de las cruzadas: Musulmanes bajo dominio cristiano en Aragon y Cataluña”: 20 April, *Università de Messina*, Messina, Italy.@

- “Jews in Muslim and Christian Spain in a Humanistic Perspective: Three Episodes”: 25 January, *Jewish Studies Research Colloquium*, UC Santa Cruz.@
- 2004 “Conveniència: proposta per a un model d’interacció etno-religiosa a la Edat Mitjana”: 20 May, *Universitat de Lleida* (Lleida, Spain).@
- “Els Musulmans i la societat cristiana de la Corona d’Aragó: Noves recerques, noves perspectives”: 12 May, *Universitat de Girona* (Girona, Spain).@
- “Èlits i ideologia: Cristians, musulmans i el dit ‘conflicte entre civilitzacions’ a l’Edat Mitjana”: 10 May, presentation and round-table participation, *History Department of the Universitat Pompeu i Fabra* (Barcelona, Spain).@
- “The Victors and the Vanquished: Christians and Muslims of Catalonia and Aragon, 1050–1300”: 22 April, *History Department of the University of California at Berkeley*.@
- 2003 “Our Noble Vassal Mohammed”: Sectarian Identity, Social Class and Politics in the High Medieval Western Mediterranean”: 31 January, *Medieval and Early Modern Mediterranean History Workshop*, Stanford University.@
- 2002 “Infidels, Mercenaries and Allies: Appraising the Ethno-Religious Element in Western Mediterranean Politics in the Era of the Crusades”: 30 October, *Center for Cultural Studies*, UC Santa Cruz.@
- 1998 “Muslim Mafia Means Mondo Mudéjar Mayhem?”: 30 January, *Working in Medieval Studies* Symposium, Centre for Medieval Studies (U. of Toronto).@
- 1997 “Musulmanes de Aragón y Cataluña y la sociedad cristiana, siglos XII–XIII”: 18 June, *Institució Milà i Fontanals*, CSIC (Barcelona).@
- 1996 “Muslims of the Kingdom of Aragón (ss. XI–XIII): Approaches”: 25 January, *Working in Medieval Studies*, Centre for Medieval Studies (U. of Toronto).@

Popular and Pedagogical Presentations (outreach=+):

- Upcoming “Strategizing Scholarship in Academia and Beyond”: 15 May 2019; professionalization seminar *Distinguished Scholar Series Dartmouth Society of Fellows* Dartmouth College (Dartmouth NH)
- “Between East and West: Christians, Muslims and Jews in Medieval Spain”: 13 April 2019, *CU on the Weekend* (University of Colorado, Boulder).
- 2018 “Medieval Studies: Career Strategies and Managing the Market,” 20 November, *Graduate Students Professionalization Seminar*, Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto (Toronto)
- “The Jewish Man Who Would be King,” 29 October, Guest lecture for *Jewish History to 1492* (RLST/HIST/JWST 1818-001) *University of Colorado Boulder*
- “James I of Aragon, Crusader and Conqueror”: 5 October 2018 *Smithsonian Journeys - A Cruise of Spain and Portugal* (Bellver Castle (Mallorca), Spain)
- “Tales of the Alhambra”: 7 October 2018 *Smithsonian Journeys - A Cruise of Spain and Portugal* (Motril, Spain)
- “Kingdoms of Faith: Spain’s Islamic Past”: 23 September, a discussion with William Darlymple (Religious Studies, CU Boulder) [Jaipur Literature Festival](#) (Boulder CO). +
- “Conveniència y identidad: Hacia un model para entender la diversidad en el Mediterraneo Medieval”: 16 July 2018 *Intercambios y conflictos en un Mediterráneo transcultural: redes, comercio y creación artística en la Edad Media y Moderna* (Tarragona, Spain)
- “Islam in Spain, the Rise and Fall of al-Andalus”: 7 July, panel discussion with Matthew Carr, *Bradford Literary Festival* (Bradford UK)
- “Kingdoms of Faith: A New History of Islamic Spain”: 2 May, book launch at *The Tattered Cover Book Store* (Littleton CO)
- “Risky Business: Politics, Religious Identity and Violence in the Medieval Mediterranean”: 23 January, graduate seminar, *Catholic University of America* (Washington DC).
- 2017 “The Jewish Man Who Would be King” 30 October, Guest lecture for *Jewish History to 1492* (RLST/HIST/JWST 1818-001) *University of Colorado Boulder*
- “The Rise and Fall of Jehoseph ben Shemuel : Jewish Pride and Muslim Prejudice in 11th-Century Islamic Spain”: 13 September, *Jewish Studies Traveling Chautauqua* (Adams State University, Alamosa CO)+
- “The Jews of Medieval Spain: Convenience and Convivencia,” 22 May 2017, *The Language of Exile: Hispano-Jewish Culture Before and After 1492* (University of Colorado, Boulder).+

- “Western Civ and the Role of Islam: From Medieval Spain to the Digital Age”: 3 May 2017 *University Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at D.U. (University College, Denver University)* (Golden, CO)+
- “From Bob Dylan to Bill Gates: What the West Owes to Islamic Spain”: 14 March 2017 *University Women’s Club (UWC) of Boulder* (Boulder CO)+
- 2016 • “The (Jewish) Man Who Would be King”: October 26 *Boulder Jewish Community Center* (Boulder CO)+
- “The Life of a Text: Understanding an Epic” and “Present Tense: The Way of the World”: 24 & 25 September, Panelist *Jaiapur Literary Festival Boulder* (Boulder CO)+
- “Between Christianity and Islam: the Moriscos of Early Modern Spain”: 16 May *Europe’s Problem with Islam... 500 Years Ago: Moriscos Identity & Aljamiado Literature in Early Modern Spain* (University of Colorado, Boulder).+
- “What were the Crusades and Why?” 16 March 2016, *Colorado University Retired Faculty Association* (University of Colorado, Boulder).+
- “From Bob Dylan to Bill Gates: Islam and the Origins of Western Culture”: 11 March, *Arts and Sciences Alumni Lecture Series* (University of Colorado South, Denver).+
- “Islamic Culture and the West” 12 February, Guest lecture for HIST 201: *World Civ to 1500* (Brigham Young University, Salt Lake City UT).+
- “Sicily, Egypt and Anatolia: A Mediterranean Triangle”: 21 January, Guest lecture for HIST474/530 *Medieval Memory in the Mediterranean* (History Dept • University of Tennessee Knoxville & History Dept. • University of Kentucky).+
- “Christians, Muslims and Jews in the Medieval Mediterranean, or Everything You Always Wanted to Know About Holy War But Were Afraid to Ask”: 30 January, *CU on the Weekend* (University of Colorado, Boulder).+
- 2015 • “Mediterranean & Empire”: 27 January, Graduate Seminar • *University of California Riverside*+
- “From Bobby Fisher and Bob Dylan to Bill Gates: Islam, Medieval Spain, and the Roots of the Modern West”: 10 December, *Highland City Club* (Boulder CO).+
- “The King has not Authorized You to Kill Us... Vulnerability and Resistance among the Muslim Minority in Medieval Spain”: 7 October, *City of Boulder Senior Center’s “History behind the Headlines”* (Boulder CO).+
- “Matters of Faith” [Round table with: Anosh Irani, Esther David, Kalyan Ray, moderated by Arshia Sattar]: 20 September, *Jaiapur Literature Festival* (Boulder CO).+
- “Jerusalem” [Round table with: Simon Sebag Montefiore and Esther David, moderated by Gideon Levy]: 20 September, *Jaiapur Literature Festival* (Boulder CO).+
- “From the Beatles to Bill Gates: What Modern the West Owes to Medieval Islamic Spain”: 16 September, *Trinidad State Junior College* (Trinidad CO)+
- “Below the Surface: Sub-altern Elites and Ethno-Religious Politics in the Crusade-Era Mediterranean”: 28 July, *Negotiated Identities* (NEH Summer Institute, Barcelona, Spain). Lecture. +”
- “Ethno-Religious Relations and Physics of Scale”: 20 July, *Negotiated Identities* (NEH Summer Institute, Barcelona, Spain). Lecture. +
- “Plural Societies in the Medieval Mediterranean: A Case of Convenience”: 13 July, *Negotiated Identities* (NEH Summer Institute, Barcelona, Spain). Lecture. +
- “Mediterranean Institutions: Three Case Studies”: 8 & 9 July (two sessions) *Negotiated Identities* (NEH Summer Institute, Barcelona, Spain). Seminar. +
- “Mutual Intelligibility and the Culture of the Mediterranean”: 7 July, *Negotiated Identities* (NEH Summer Institute, Barcelona, Spain). Lecture. +
- *Infidel Kings & Unholy Warriors*: 25 June, Presentation/Q & A for Prof. David Wacks, SPAN 341 *Hispanic Culture through Literature I* (University of Oregon, Eugene OR)+
- “Did the Crusades Really Happen?” 11 February, *City of Boulder Senior Center’s “History behind the Headlines”* (Boulder CO)+
- “Islamic Culture, Medieval Spain, the Mediterranean and the West: From Bob Dylan to Deep Blue”: 7 February, *University of Colorado Alumni Association Directors Club* (University of Colorado Boulder)
- *Infidel Kings & Unholy Warriors*: 20 January, Presentation/Q & A for Prof. David Wacks, JDST212 *Medieval and Renaissance Jewish History* (University of Oregon, Eugene OR)+
- 2014 • “The Muslims of the Medieval Latin West”: 2 December, *The Rumi Club* (University of Colorado, Boulder). Presentation and Book signing. +

- “Inter-Faith Relations in the Medieval Mediterranean: A New Realism”: 11 October, *Mosaic Foundation* (Aurora, CO). Presentation and Book signing. +
- “Islamic Culture, Medieval Spain, the Mediterranean and the West: From Bob Dylan to Deep Blue”: 3 October, *University of Colorado at Boulder Chancellor’s “CU Seminar”*. Invited Faculty Speaker.+
- “A New Take on the Crusades”: 2 October, guest seminar for Prof. Younus Mirza’s REL-171, *Islam and Other Faiths* Alleghany College (Meadville PA)+
- “Jews in Muslim and Christian Spain: Three Episodes in a Humanistic Context”: 5 April, *College of Arts and Sciences, University of Colorado at Boulder “Admitted Student Day”* for the Program in Jewish Studies.+
- “Axa and Mariem have their Day in Court (Daroca, 1300),” 6 March *Sarum Seminar* (Menlo Park CA)+
- “Islam and Christendom in the Mediterranean, ca. 1000:” 19 February, for Prof. Burce Kawin, ENG 1500 *Masterpieces of British Literature: The World in the Year 1000*, CU Boulder.
- “The (Jewish) Man Who Would be King,” 6 February, *Jewish Studies Colloquium, University of Colorado at Boulder.*@
- 2013 “Jews of Medieval Spain”: 28 October, Guest lecture for HIST/JWST 1818-010: *Introduction to Jewish History: Bible to 1492*, University of Colorado at Boulder
- “Islam and Christian Europe”: 19 February, Guest lecture for ENGL1500-010: *Masterpieces of British Literature: The World in 1000*, University of Colorado at Boulder
- 2012 “Difference and Dissent”: 7 February, Guest lecture for ENGL1500-010: *Masterpieces of British Literature: The World in 1500*, University of Colorado at Boulder
- 2011 “Islamic Spain and Modern Western Culture, or What Bill Gates and Bob Dylan Owe to Medieval Islam,” 13 March, *Mosaic Foundation* (Denver CO)+
- “Muslims, Jews and Christians in Medieval Iberia”: 17 February, *University of Southern California*.
- “Fear and Loathing in Medieval Spain? Vulnerability & Confidence among the Muslim Minority of Christian Aragon”: 10 January, *Sarum Seminar*, Center for Advanced Studies in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University.+
- 2010 “The *Qur’an* in Context: the Reading of Scripture and the Writing of History”: 8 November, *Self & Society* Stevenson Core Course, University of California Santa Cruz.
- “The Beginning and End of Diversity in Spain”: 12 October, LIT151 *Literature and Life in “Don Quixote”* UC Santa Cruz. Guest Lecture.
- “Estabilidad social en época de crisis: La sociedad mudéjar en siglo XIV,” 1 July, Cátedra d’Estudis Medievals (XV Curs d’Estiu), *Por política, terror social* (Balaguer, Spain).
- “Jews in Medieval Spain: Familiar Scenarios, New Perspectives”: 10 February, HIST/JWST 1108 *Introduction to Jewish History* CU Boulder. Guest Lecture.
- 2009 “The Crusades: Conflict of Civilization or Collateral Damage”: 9 March, *Sarum Seminar*, Center for Advanced Studies in the Behavioural Sciences, Stanford University+
- “Muslim Spain and the Modern West (or “What Bob Dylan & Bill Gates owe to Islam”)”: 19 March, *UCSC Emeriti Group*, UC Santa Cruz+
- 2008 “Why the Mediterranean?” 30 June, *The Medieval Mediterranean & the Origins of the West*, an NEH Summer Institute (Barcelona).
- “Working in Barcelona,” 30 June, *The Medieval Mediterranean & the Origins of the West*, an NEH Summer Institute (Barcelona).
- “From Bobby Fisher and Bob Dylan to Bill Gates: Islam, Spain and the Roots of the Modern West,” 10 March, *Sarum Seminar*, Center for Advanced Studies in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University+
- 2007 “Islam, Spain and the Origins of ‘Western’ Culture,” 26 April, *Cabrillo Host Lion’s Club*. +
- “From Dylan to Deep Blue: Islam, Muslim Spain and ‘the West’”: 18 March, *UCSC Life Long Learners*, Stevenson College UC Santa Cruz.+
- “al-Andalus: Toleration and the Socio-Political Context”: 8 November, *HIS70F Christian-Muslim-Jewish Relations in World History*, UC Irvine.
- 2006 *Cities of Light: The Rise and Fall of Islamic Spain*: television documentary, Unity Productions Foundation: on-screen interviews. +
- “Musulmani e Crestiani nella Corona d’Aragona”: 27 April, Doctoral seminar *Università Federico II*, Naples, Italy.

- 2005 “From Dylan to Deep Blue: al-Andalus and ‘the West’”: 25 September, *Andalusia Gala Dinner* in honor of Prof. J. Monroe, Unity Production Foundation (Stanford Faculty Club, Stanford University).+
- 2004 “The Triumph of the Christian Spains: Conflict and Compromise in the Late Middle Ages”: 12 April, sponsored by the *Smithsonian Institute* in Setubal, Portugal.
- “Reconquest and Jihad: Personality and Ideology in an Age of Conquest”: 10 April, sponsored by the *Smithsonian Institute* in Malaga, Spain.
 - “The Western Caliphate: Religion and Culture in Islamic Iberia”: 7 April, sponsored by the *Smithsonian Institute* in Seville, Spain.
- 2003 “Islam in the Medieval West”: 5 November, Guest lecture for Prof. C. Polecritti *HIS 33, Medieval Europe* (UC Santa Cruz).
- *New Faculty Orientation: “Tips for New Faculty”*: September 21, Panel member: Division of Humanities, UC Santa Cruz.
 - “Medieval Iberia Web-based Instruction Module”: April 28, *Instructional Improvement Colloquium: New Curricula, New Approaches*, Center for Teaching Excellence, UCSC.
- 2000 “La historiografía anglosajona i Catalunya”: 13 July, *Curs d’estiu, Setmana d’Estudis Medievals* at the Universitat de Lleida (Lleida, Spain).
- “Metodologies i perspectives nord-americanes per a la historia medieval de la Corona catalanoaragonesa: la minoria musulmana”: 13 April, guest lecture *Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona*.
- 1998 “Research in European Libraries and Archives”: 24 February, *Sources and Resources*, Panel Member: Centre for Medieval Studies (U. of Toronto).
- 1997 “Government and Society in the Caliphate of Al-Andalus”: 22 & 24 October, guest lecture and slide presentations for Prof. R Hoffmann’s *History 3225.06*, York University - Department of History (North York, Canada).
- “Funding for Medievalists”: 26 September, *Sources and Resources*, Panel Member: Centre for Medieval Studies (U. of Toronto).

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Service on Editorial Boards:

- 2017– *The Journal of Medieval Worlds*: Advisory Board Member
- 2016– *Al-Masāq: Journal of the Medieval Mediterranean*: Editorial Board Member
- 2015– *Circolarità Mediterranee/Mediterranean Circularities* (Rome: L’Erma di Bretschneider): Monograph Series, Board Member
- *Mediterranea* (Universidad de Córdoba, Spain): Advisory Board Member
- 2014– *Scripta Mediterranea*: Editorial Board Member
- 2013– *American Journal of Mediterranean Studies*: Advisory Board Member
- 2012– *Mediterranean Perspectives* (Palgrave MacMillan): Monograph Series, Co-Editor (w/ Sharon Kinoshita)
- 2010– “Anejos” del *Anuario de Estudios Medievales* (CSIC, Barcelona): Editorial Committee, monograph series
- 2008– *postmedieval: a journal of medieval cultural studies* (Palgrave): Editorial Board Member
- *Mediterranean Chronicle* (Ionian University, Corfu): Editorial Board Member
 - *Aragón en la Edad Media* (Universidad de Zaragoza): Editorial Board Member
 - *Imago Temporis. Medium Aevum* (Universitat de Lleida): Editorial Board Member
- 2012–18 *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies* (Taylor Francis): Executive Editorial Board Member
- 2009–2012 *Speculum* (Medieval Academy of America): Book Review Editor, Late Middle Ages
- 2007–2011 *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies* (Taylor Francis): Editorial Board Member
- 2006–2009 *International Encyclopaedia for the Middle Ages-Online* (IEMA) in Lexicon des Mittelalters (Brepols: Turnhout, Belgium): Editorial Advisor at www.brepols.net.
- 2006–2007 *AARHMS Newsletter* (American Academy of Research Historians of Medieval Spain): Editor.

Other Editorial Service:

- 2018 *Brill*: pre-publication manuscript review of *A Companion to Medieval and Early Modern Granada*
- *Routledge* (*Studies in the History of the Ancient Near East*): pre-publication manuscript proposal review of “Green Saints and Fertile Gods: The Surprising History of Judaism, Christianity, and Islam in the Levant”
 - *Hurst & Co.*: pre-publication manuscript proposal review of “Between Al-Andalus & the Americas: Introducing the Latinx Muslim World.”

- *Routledge (Anthropology)*: pre-publication manuscript proposal review of “Bad Christians, New Spains: Muslims, Catholics, and Native Americans in a Mediterratlantic World.”
- *The Medieval Globe* pre-publication manuscript review “Empire and Caliphate in the Life of John of Gorze”
- *Cambridge University Press*: pre-publication manuscript proposal review of “Why Do The Middle Ages Matter Now?”
- *The Journal of Medieval Worlds*: pre-publication manuscript review “The Holocaustum of the Jews under Richard I (A.D. 1189—1190)”
- *Journal of Mediterranean Iberian Studies*: second pre-publication manuscript review “Nobisque potius obaedire delegistis quam Hismahelitis: The Political Predicament of tenth-century Catalonia”
- *University of Indiana Press* edited volume manuscript review “Jews and the Mediterranean”
- *Anthem Press*: monograph proposal review “The Boundless Sea: Writing Mediterranean History”
- *Revista Estudios Medievales Hispánicos*: pre-publication manuscript review “Memoria islámica y judía en Extremadura: olvidos, recuerdos y tergiversaciones”
- *Revista Canadiense de Estudios Hispánicos*: pre-publication manuscript review “La violencia ejercida por los caballeros villanos contra los musulmanes: un análisis a partir de la *Crónica de la Población de Ávila*”
- *Indiana University Press*: pre-publication collected essays manuscript review “Jews and the Mediterranean”
- *Journal of Mediterranean Iberian Studies*: pre-publication manuscript review “Nobisque potius obaedire delegistis quam Hismahelitis: The Political Predicament of tenth-century Catalonia”
- *Mediterranean Studies*: pre-publication manuscript review “The Theory and Practice of War and Government Practiced by Pere III "The Ceremonious" of Aragon (1336-1387)”
- *Cambridge University Press*: proposal review “Cambridge History of the Mediterranean”
- *IB Taurus*: pre-publication monograph manuscript review “Narrating Muslim Sicily: War and Peace in the Medieval Mediterranean World”
- *Studies in Late Antiquity*: pre-publication manuscript review “Italian Narratives of Oppositional Identity: Hagiography and Affect in Distancing the Late Antique and Medieval Saracen, and the Modern Migrant”
- 2017 *Oxford University Press*: pre-publication monograph manuscript review “At the Edge of Reformation: Iberia before the Black Death.”
- *Aragón en la Edad Media*: pre-publication manuscript review “Explotación económica de los musulmanes del valle del Ebro: parias y almotexenas abonadas a los reinos de Aragón y Navarra durante el siglo XI.”
- *Brill Academic Publishers*: pre-publication manuscript review of “Three Works by Riccoldo da Montecroce”
- *University of California Press*: pre-publication manuscript review of “Galata Encounters, Cosmopolitanism in an Ottoman Port, 1750-1850”
- 2016 *Oxford Islamic Studies Online*: “al-Andalus” section, Editor-in-Chief
- *International Journal of Middle East Studies*: pre-publication manuscript review “Identifying Arabic in Late Medieval England”
- *Reti Medievali – Rivista*: pre-publication manuscript review “Aristocratic property in the Naşrid kingdom of Granada (XIII-XV centuries): almunias versus Alquerías”
- *Speculum*: pre-publication manuscript review “All the Way to the British Isles: Muslim-Christian Diplomacy Networks as Portrayed in a Possible Early 13th Century Ayyūbid-English Political Exchange.” [second review]
- *University of Edinburgh Press*: monograph proposal review of: “The Global Gulf”
- *Arc Humanities Press*: monograph proposal review of: “What is Islamic about Islamic Maps?”
- *E.J. Brill*: manuscript review of: “Creating the Mediterranean: Maps and the Islamic Imagination”
- *Speculum*: pre-publication manuscript review of ““Much Further North to the Mediterranean”: Muslim-Christian Diplomacy Networks as Portrayed in a Possible Early 13th Century Ayyūbid-English Political Exchange”

- *American Historical Review*: manuscript review of “Pedro de Alcalá and the Language of Conquest: Spanish Vernacular Humanism and the Uses of Arabic in Post-1492 Granada.”
- *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies* (Taylor Francis): manuscript review of “Emotional Memory and Medieval Autobiography: King James I of Aragon (r.1213-76)’s *Llibre dels fets*”
- 2015 *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies* (Taylor Francis): manuscript review of “Performing Race in Late Medieval Iberia: Dances and Displays of Jews and Moors”
- *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies* (Taylor Francis): manuscript review of “Spiritual and Material Rewards on the Christian-Muslim Frontier”
- *Journal of Religious History*: pre-publication manuscript review of “Papal Power and Authority in the Shebet Yehudah” & second review.
- *Speculum*: pre-publication manuscript review of “The Genoese community in Rhodes and the Knights of St John, 1400-1480”
- *Comparative Studies in Society and History* (Cambridge): 2nd manuscript review of “Western Notaries and Islamic Judges: Solving Interfaith Conflict in Late Medieval Alexandria and Damascus”
- *University of California Press*: reviewer for proposed book “Ottoman-European Encounters in Galata: Capitulations, Commerce, and Cosmopolitanism in an Ottoman Port, 1750-1850”
- *Journal of Mediterranean Studies* (University of Malta): pre-publication manuscript review of “A Twelfth-Century Mediterranean in Ibn Jubayr’s Pilgrimage Account”
- *University of Chicago Press*: assessment for translation: *La mer des califes. Une histoire de la méditerranée musulmane (VII^e-XII^e siècle)*
- *Harvard University Press*: assessment for translation: *La mer des califes. Une histoire de la méditerranée musulmane (VII^e-XII^e siècle)*
- *Wiley*: reviewer for book manuscript “The Western Mediterranean and the World: Sites of Encounter, ca. 450 to the Present”
- 2014 *Cambridge University Press*: reviewer for proposal for new manuscript series: Cambridge Oceanic Histories.
- *Tamid* (Societat Catalana d’Estudis Hebraics): manuscript review of “Moixè ben Nahman, Bonastruc de Porta”
- *Routledge*: pre-contract proposal review for 2nd edition of Meiser and Stump, *Christian Thought: A Historical Introduction*
- *Oxford University Press*: second manuscript review of: *The Emergence of Latin-Christian Europe: Arabic-Islamic Perspectives (c. 700-1500)*
- *Oxford University Press*: manuscript review of: “The Emergence of Latin-Christian Europe: Arabic-Islamic Perspectives (c. 700-1500)”
- *Comparative Studies in Society and History* (Cambridge): manuscript review of “Western Notaries and Islamic Judges: Solving Interfaith Conflict in Late Medieval Alexandria and Damascus”
- *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies*: manuscript review of “The Mudejars in the County of Barcelona in the Twelfth Century”
- *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies*: manuscript review of “The ‘bonos moros’ of Tudela and the birth of Mudejarism (1119)”
- 2013 *Studies in Church History*: pre-publication review of “Christian-Muslim Encounters: George of Trebizond and the ‘Inversion’ of Eastern Discourse towards Islam in the 15th Century,” and “Rarticulating a Christian-Muslim Understanding: Gennadios Scholarios and George Amiroutzes on Islam.”
- *Oxford University Press*: manuscript review of: “Manresa in the Later Middle Ages: The Rise and Decline of an Iberian Bourgeoisie, 1250-1500”
- *Florilegium*: pre-publication review of “La composition de la Casa i Cort du roi d’Aragon. Normes et pratiques au début du règne de Pierre le Cérémonieux.”
- *Medieval Encounters*: pre-publication review of “Swearing by God: Muslim Oath-Taking in Late Medieval and Early Modern Christian Iberia.”
- *Al-Masaq*: pre-publication review of “Islamic Confraternities and funerary practices: hallmarks of Mudejar identity in the Iberian Peninsula?”
- 2012 *University of Notre Dame Press* manuscript review of “Muslims, Jews, and Catholics in al-Andalus”

- *California History-Social Science Project (Sites of Encounter in the Medieval World)*: Project Blueprint Medieval World Senior Scholar
- *University of Toronto Press* manuscript review of “Hidden Texts, Veiled Spaces, Muslim-Christian Identities in Early Modern Spain”
- *Palgrave MacMillan* pre-publication review of “The Mediterranean World of Alfonso II and Peter II of Aragon (1162–1213)”
- 2011 *University of Pennsylvania Press* manuscript review of “Slaves and Slavery in Medieval and Early Modern Iberia”
- *Libraries & the Cultural Record* manuscript review of “Libraries in Medieval Islamic Spain: Patrons, Collections, and Librarian-Scholars”
- *Speculum*, manuscript review of “Mr. Moneybags in the Middle Ages: Gift Economy, Profit Economy, and the Jewish Moneylender Re-Considered”
- 2010 *Owlkids*, historical consultant for “Pedro’s Choice,” a short story for children set in Medieval Spain by Rona Arato, *On a Medieval Day* (Toronto: Owlkids, 2010)
- *Chicago University Press*, second pre-publication review of book manuscript: “The Power of Form: Autobiography, Historiography, and Politics in Medieval Catalonia.”
- 2009 *Cambridge University Press*, manuscript review of book manuscript: “The Power of Form: Autobiography, Historiography, and Politics in Medieval Catalonia.”
- *Viator*, manuscript review of “Muslims in a Christian Countryside: Reassessing Exaricus Tenures in The Crown of Aragon”
- *Chicago University Press*, manuscript review of book manuscript: “The Power of Form: Autobiography, Historiography, and Politics in Medieval Catalonia.”
- 2008 *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies* (Taylor Francis), manuscript review of “Is Convivencia a Good Thing? Critical Reflections on the Historiography of Interfaith Relations in Christian Spain”
- *Columbia University Press*, (second) pre-publication review for a proposed monograph, “Guardians of Islam: Muslim Communities in Medieval Aragon.”
- 2007 *Longman Publishers*, manuscript review of Vol. 1 of an untitled two-part World History undergraduate textbook.
- *Journal of Medieval Iberian Studies*, pre-publication review of “The Myth of the Spanish Crusades: An Analysis of Medieval and Renaissance Discourses of Warfare against Muslims”
- *Longman Publishers*, pre-publication review of an undergraduate textbook “Crossroads and Cultures: A History of the Worlds Peoples.”
- *Fons Luminis*, pre-publication review of the article “From Muslim Slave to Free Mudejar in the Kingdom of Leon-Castile”
- 2006 *La Corónica*: manuscript review of the article “Hacia el modelo historiográfico alfonsí: *La General Estoria*, la *Histoire ancienne jusqua César* y la hipótesis de la influencia de los *Faits des Romains* en la *Estoria de España* revisada.”
- *National Endowment for the Humanities* (Washington DC): Television Projects Production Grants (World History subject area): evaluation panel member.
- *Longman*, pre-publication review of “Exchanges, Vol. 1,” a World History source book.
- *University of North Carolina Press*, pre-publication review of the book manuscript “Frogs Round a Pond: The Mediterranean from Delos to Derrida.”
- 2005 *Enslow Publishers, Inc.*, review and advising for the manuscript “Rule by the Sword: Saladin” – a sixth-grade elementary school textbook.
- *Cambridge University Press*, reviewed proposal for a monograph “The Neglected Reconquest: Portugal as a European Frontier.”
- 2004 *Mediterranean Studies*, pre-publication review of an article manuscript, “A Catalan Contribution to the Converso Controversy.”
- *Columbia University Press*, pre-manuscript review of “Guardians of Islam: Muslim Communities in Medieval Aragon.”
- 2003 Advising on “The Transitory Splendor of Muslim Zaragoza, C.E. 1018–1118” a book-length manuscript by Professor George Beech (University of Western Michigan).
- *University of California Press*, reviewed proposal for a monograph “The Fire, the Saint and the Sultan.”

2001 *Departure Lounge Publications*, London UK: Proofreading and Fact-checking
Consulting on development, lay-out and content of the Eyewitness Top 10 Travel Guide: Barcelona

Ongoing Academic and Professional Activities:

- 2017– Center for the Euro-Mediterranean Academy of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Education (University of Alicante): Member
- 2015– *American Academy of Religion*: “Pre-Modern Europe & the Mediterranean” Consultation: Co-Chair (w/ David Freidenreich, Colby College)
- University of Colorado Mediterranean Studies Group – Director
 - *Mediterranean Perspectives*, book series by Palgrave MacMillan series co-editor, with Sharon Kinoshita
 - Davis-Secord, Sarah, Belen Vicens & Robin Vose, eds., *Interfaith Relationships and Perceptions of the Other in the Medieval Mediterranean* [forthcoming, 2019].
 - Abate, Mark, ed., *Convivencia and Medieval Spain: Essays in Honor of Thomas F. Glick* [2018].
 - Babayan, Kathryn & Pifer, Michael, eds., *Armenian Mediterranean: Words and Worlds in Motion* [2018];
 - elhariry, yasser & Talbayev, Edwige Tamalet, eds., *Critically Mediterranean. Temporalities, Aesthetics, and Deployments of a Sea in Crisis* [2018];
 - Walsh, M. J. K., ed., *The Armenian Church of Famagusta and the Complexity of Cypriot Heritage* [2017];
 - Goldwyn, A. J. & Silverman, R. M., eds., *Mediterranean Modernism* [2017] ***winner SAMLA Studies Book Award (Edited Volume), 2017;**
 - Catlos, Brian & Sharon Kinoshita, eds., *The Mediterranean World and Medieval and Early Modern Studies - Can We Talk Mediterranean?* [2017];
- 2014– *American Academy of Research Historians of Medieval Spain* Executive Council: Member
- 2013– *The Center for the Study of Conversion*, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev (Be’ersheva, Israel), Collaborating Scholar
- 2013– *World Association of Global Diaspora Studies*: Editorial Board Member
- 2009– UCSC Center for Mediterranean Studies, *University of California Santa Cruz*, co-founder, co-director (with Sharon Kinoshita: UCSC, Literature)
- 2006– The Mediterranean Seminar (www.mediterraneanseminar.org): Co-founder; co-director (w/ S. Kinoshita, UCSC)
- 1999– *Baptisteria Sacra: An Iconographic Index of Baptismal Fonts (BSI) On-line project catalogue of baptismal fonts* (www.library.utoronto.ca/bsi). Contributor of photographs.

Other Academic, Creative and Professional Activities:

- 2019 Conference Program Committee (2019), Middle East Studies Association: Member
- advising 8th grade students’ National History Day project (Cape Fear Academy: Wilmington, NC)
- 2017–18 Center of Medieval Studies (University of Toronto): External mentor for PhD candidate Bogdan Smaradache
- 2018 European Research Council (ERC) • Field: The Study of the Human Past (SH6): Proposal Reviewer
- American Academy in Berlin: Residential Grant Peer Reviewer: “Emotion, Pilgrimage, and Community in Early Modern Spain”
 - American Academy in Berlin: Residential Grant Peer Reviewer: “The Fall of Troy and the Origins of Europe: The Trojan Diaspora and the Vernacular Cultures of the Medieval West”
 - Research Fellowship Program, Max Weber Centre for Advanced Cultural and Social Studies at the University of Erfurt (Germany): Proposal Reviewer
 - External reviewer for promotion to Full Teaching Professor of History: State University of New York, New Paltz
 - External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor of History: Michigan State University
 - External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor in the School of Religion: University of Southern California
 - External reviewer for promotion to (full) Professor of History: University of Minnesota Twin Cities

- NEH Fellowships at the John W. Kluge Center, Library of Congress. Selection Committee: Member
- Graduate Student Paper Prize Committee, *Middle East Studies Association*: Chair
- External referee/evaluator for recruitment of Assistant Professor of History, UC San Diego
- 2017 Graduate Student Paper Prize Committee, *Middle East Studies Association*: Member
- *Dialogues in Late Medieval Mediterranean: The Cultural Legacy of Western Islamic Societies* (20 July: Lisbon): Conference Committee
- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor of History: Rice University
- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor of Literature: UC Santa Cruz
- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor of History: University of Rhode Island
- External reviewer for promotion to (full) Professor of History: UC Riverside
- *Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada*: proposal reviewer: “Agents of Assimilation: New Christians and the Santa Casa da Misericórdia in Portugal 1495-1557”
- 2016–17 Bishko Prize, *Society of Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies*: jury member
- 2016 *Medworlds 8 Conference* (Famagusta, Cyprus): Conference Committee
- *Medieval Academy of America*, Graduate Student Mentor Program: Mentor (Courtney Krolikosky [McGill University])
- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor of History: University of Rochester
- External reviewer for promotion to (Full) Professor of History: Tennessee Technical University
- External reviewer for promotion to (Full) Professor of History: The University of Nebraska
- External reviewer for promotion to (Full) Professor of Religion: The University of Mississippi
- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor of History: Siena College
- External reviewer for promotion to (Full) Professor of History: Georgia State University
- 2014–16 “Premio del Rey” Book Prize, *American Historical Association*: Committee Member [recused for conflict of interest]
- 2006–16 Centro Francese di Studi sul Mediterraneo (Naples, Italy), Academic Advisor
- 2015 *Medworlds 7 Conference* (Toulon, France): Conference Committee
- External reviewer for promotions to tenured Associate Professor for History: Fordham University
- 2009–2015 UC Multi-Campus Research Program – *Mediterranean Studies*; Principal Investigator/ Co-Director
- 2014 *Medieval Academy of America*, Graduate Student Mentor Program: Mentor
- *Cambridge University Press*, advising on possible publishing agreement with *Traditio*
- *University of Haifa*, on-site consulting for preparation for establishing a Mediterranean Studies Program
- *Medworlds 6 Conference* (Cosenza, Italy): Conference Committee
- 2011–2014 *American Academy of Religion*: “Mediterranean Consultation” Steering Committee Member
- Colorado Mediterranean Studies Group – co-convenor (w/ Claire Farago, Art & Art History, CU Boulder)
- 2009–2014 La Corona d’Aragó, l’Islam i el món mediterrani (Generalitat de Catalunya: Consolidated Research Group: 2009 SGR 1452, dir.: Roser Salicrú i Lluç, CSIC, Barcelona: Research Project Member
- La Corona de Aragón en el Mediterráneo medieval: puente entre culturas, mediadora entre Cristiandad e Islam (Ministerio de Ciencia e Innovación: Research Project: HUM2007-61131), Barcelona: Research Project Member
- 2010–2014 *American Academy of Research Historians of Medieval Spain*, Board Member At-Large
- 2013 Association for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies, Book Prize Committee Member
- *Fondation Maison des Sciences de l’Homme* (Paris): Programme de Bourses Fernand Braudel-IFER, Application Assessment
- *Medworlds 5 Conference* (Bern, Switzerland): Conference Committee
- External reviewer for promotions of candidate to tenured Associate Professor for History: University of New Mexico
- 2006–2012 Department of History, Università di Messina (Messina, Italy), Associated Faculty
- 2012 NEH Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions Selection Committee, Member
- NEH Summer Stipend Selection Committee, Member (competition cancelled)
- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor for Romance Languages: University of Michigan

- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor for History: University of Pennsylvania
- External reviewer for promotion to tenured Associate Professor for History: Gettysburg College.
- 2011 External examiner “Criminal Law and the Development of the Assizes of the Crusader Kingdom of Jerusalem in the Twelfth Century” (PhD Dissertation: Centre for Medieval Studies: University of Toronto).
- External reviewer for promotion of candidate to tenured Associate Professor (Religious Studies: Lawrence University).
- 2005–2011 *California Medieval Seminar*, University of California, Steering Committee Member.
- *Center for World History* UCSC, Board of Directors: Member.
- 2007–2010 *American Academy of Research Historians of Medieval Spain*, President
- 2008–2010 “Premio del Rey” Book Prize, *American Historical Association*: Committee Member (excused from 2010 competition because of conflict of interest)
- 2006–2010 “Global Islam”: working group. Center for Global, International and Regional Studies (UCSC), Member.
- 2010 External reviewer for promotion of candidate to tenured Associate Professor (History: University of Southern California).
- Stanford Center for the Advanced Study of Behavioral Sciences: Fellowship selection committee, member.
- 2005–2009 *World History Workshop*, University of California Multi-Campus Research Group; Affiliated Faculty.
- 2003–2009 *Mediterranean Studies Research Unit*, Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Co-ordinator (with Sharon Kinoshita, UCSC and Edmund Burke, UCSC).
- 2002–2009 *Pre- and Early Modern Studies Group*, Institute for Humanities Research, UCSC: Member.
- 2007–2008 *Society of Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies*, Bishko Prize: invited as jury member (declined for conflict of interest).
- 2006–2008 “Premio del Rey” Book Prize, American Historical Association: Committee Member
- 2008 Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Dept. de Historia Medieval: Consultant and external referee for the adaptation of the BA (*licenciatura*) to the standards of the new Espacio Europeo de Enseñanza Superior (European Zone of Higher Education; “Bologna Accord”).
- 2007 NEH Media Makers Grant Selection Committee, Member
- External reviewer for promotion of candidate to Full Professor (History: Ben Gurion University of the Negev)

Out-Reach Activities:

(See also Papers Given, Panels Organized, and Popular and Pedagogical Presentations, above)

- 2018 Interviewed on KVCU 1190 AM Boulder, 98.9 FM Boulder, online at radio1190.org (Aired: 20 September, 11:40am)
- 2017 Interviewed on KRZA Alamosa-Taos (Aired: 11 September, 8am & 7:30pm)
- 2015 Interviewed for “La oportunidad perdida de Córdoba”: 25 January, article in *El País* (leading Spanish daily)
- 2014 [Audio interview](#) on Jeff Schechtman’s *Specific Gravity*; aired Friday, 10 October 2014
- [Audio interview](#) on KAMP Student Radio (University of Arizona); aired Saturday, 4 October 2014.
- [Audio interview](#) on *Marginalia* (*Los Angeles Review of Books*); aired Tuesday, 19 August 2014.
- [Audio interview](#) on *New Books in Islamic Studies*; aired Tuesday, 8 July 2014.
- 2103 [Radio interview](#) on *Contratiempo* Number 168: “Los “Estudios Mediterráneos” y la interacción transcultural”; aired Monday, 14 October 2013 on Radio Círculo/ 100.4FM Madrid, Spain.

COURSES TAUGHT:

CU Boulder:

- ARAB/RLST2320: *Early Muslim World* • undergraduate lecture course [A&S CORE: Human Diversity • GED Diversity - Global Perspective]
- HIST 7841: Graduate-level Independent Study
- HUMN3850/RLST3950: *The Mediterranean: Religion Before Modernity* • undergraduate seminar [GED Diversity - Global Perspective]
- RLST6840: Graduate-level Independent Study

RLST4820/5820: *Religious Minorities in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean* • graduate/ upper-level undergraduate seminar
 RLST4820/5820: *Medieval Spain: Religion, Culture & Ethnicity*
 RLST3000 *Christian Traditions* • lower-division large lecture course
 RLST6840 *Independent study* • graduate-level

UCSC:

Research & Grant Writing • graduate professionalization seminar
World of Islam, 600–1350 • lower-division large lecture course
World to 1500 • lower-division large lecture course
Spain, 600–1500 • lower-division lecture course *cross-listed with *Jewish Studies*
Crusade and Jihad • “freshman discovery” seminar
The Crusades, 1000–1300 • upper-division lecture course *cross-listed with *Jewish Studies*
Medieval Spain • upper-division lecture course *cross-listed with *Jewish Studies*
Topics in Medieval History: The Crusades • senior seminar
Topics in Medieval History: Medieval Spain • senior seminar
Colonialism, Race and Transnational Movement • graduate seminar

University of Toronto:

Muslims, Christians and Jews: Mediterranean World, 600–1500 • Instructor (School for Continuing Education)
Europe in the Middle Ages • Teaching Assistant (Scarborough College: Humanities Dept.)
The Development of European Civilisation, 1350–1945 • Teaching Assistant (History Dept.)
Vision and Experience in Spanish Literature and Film • Teaching Assistant (Dept. of Spanish & Portuguese)

TEACHING (CU Boulder):

- 2018–19** **Fall:** RLST3000: *Christian Traditions*
 Spring: ARAB/RLST2320: *Early Muslim World*
- HUMN3850/RLST3250: *The Mediterranean: Religion before Modernity*
- Summer A:** ARAB/RLST2320: *Early Muslim World* [on-line: pending approval]
 Summer B: RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* [on-line]
- 2017–18** **Fall:** Scheduled sabbatical leave
 Spring: on leave: College Scholar Fellowship
 Summer B: RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* [on-line]
- 2016–17** **Fall:** RLST4820/5820: *Mediterranean Religions and Society* (4 students)
- RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* (68 students, 2 auditors)
- Spring:** ARAB/RLST2320: *Early Muslim World* (22 students, 4 auditors)
- RLST6840: Independent Study (1 student)
 - 1 course release (Mediterranean Studies)
- Summer B:** RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* [on-line]
- 2015–16** **Fall & Spring:** On leave from teaching (NEH Fellowship)
 Summer B: RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* [on-line]
- 2014–15** **Fall:** RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* (85 students)
- HIST 7841: Graduate-level Independent Study (1 student)
 - 1 course release (Mediterranean Studies)
- Spring:** HUMN3850/RLST3250: *The Mediterranean: Religion before Modernity* (8 students, 1 auditor)
- RLST4820/5820: *Medieval Spain: Religion, Culture & Ethnicity* (8 students)
- Summer A:** RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* [on-line] (24 students)
- 2013–14** **Fall:** RLST4820/5820: *Religious Minorities in the Pre-Modern Mediterranean* (7 students)
- RLST4840: Undergraduate-level Independent Study (1 student)
- Spring:** HUMN3850: *The Mediterranean: Religion before Modernity* (19 students)
- RLST6840: Graduate-level Independent Study (3 students)
 - 2 course releases (contractual; Mediterranean Studies)
- Summer A:** RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* [on-line] (33 students)

- 2012–13** **Fall:** RLST3000: *Christian Traditions* (114 students)
- RLST6840: Graduate-level Independent Study (2 students)
 - 3 course releases (Mediterranean Studies; CAH Research Fellowship)
- 2011–12** **Fall:** RLST3000 *Christian Traditions* (114 students)
- Spring:** RLST3000 *Christian Traditions* (125 students)
- 2 course releases (contractual; Mediterranean Studies)

GRADUATE STUDENTS:

University of Amsterdam

2018– Hicham Boutaleb, PhD medieval History: dissertation co-director (with Gerard Wiegers, U of Amsterdam)

CSIC (Barcelona)

2018S Victoria Burguera, PhD student medieval history; mentor (while in residence at CU Boulder, Feb—May 2018)

CU Boulder:

- 2016– Jeffrey Baron, MA student RLST: supervisor [Religious Studies Summer Funding Award, 2017; Graduate Dean’s Fellowship, 2017; Rabbi Daniel and Ida Goldberger Jewish Studies Fellowship, 2017; Global Initiatives Jewish Studies Scholarship, 2017; Chancellor’s Fellowship, 2016; CU Mediterranean Studies Travel Grant, 2016]
- 2013–18 Hossein Hasheminasari: MA Student RLST: supervisor [Center for Western Civilization Grant (for study abroad), 2015; Foreign Language and Area Studies Scholarship Fellowships, 2014; Lamont Fellowship, 2014]
- 2015–17 Ahmed Durak: MA Student RLST: supervisor [Jewish Studies Global Initiatives Scholarship, 2016, Fellowship from the Graduate School, 2016; Mediterranean Studies Group Conference Grant, 2016]
- 2013–17 Dillon Webster: MA Student RLST: supervisor [Fullbright Research Fellowship, 2017–18; Barry and Sue Baer Graduate Fellowship/ Rabbi Daniel and Ida Goldberger Fellowship, 2016; Center for Western Civilization Grand, 2016; 2 x Department of Religious Studies Graduate School Fellowship, 2015; Barry and Sue Baer Graduate Fellowship, 2015; Rabbi Daniel and Ida Goldberger Fellowship, 2015; Center for Asian Studies Summer Language Fellowship, 2015; Foreign Language and Area Studies Scholarship Fellowships, 2014; Department of Religious Studies Graduate School Fellowship, 2014; Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship, 2014 Graduate Dean’s Fellowship, 2013; *accepted with full funding by Brown University PhD program in History]
- 2011–15 Aaron Stamper: MA Student RLST: supervisor/ MA History: advisor [Summer Study and Research Grant from the CU Boulder Religious Studies Department, 2014; Center for Western Civilization Summer Study Grant, 2014; Eaton Graduate Student Travel Grant, 2014; Summer Foreign Language and Area Studies Scholarship Fellowships, 2012 & 2013; Center for Western Civilization Summer Study Grant, 2013; University of Colorado at Boulder Study Abroad Scholarship, 2012 * accepted with full funding by Princeton University PhD program in History]
- 2013–14 Anastasia Curtis: MA Student RLST: supervisor [Jen Hlavacek Award on Religion and Society, 2013]
- 2012–13 Meghan Zibby: MA Student RLST: supervisor [University Fellowship for Research in Israel, 2014; Center for Western Civilization Summer Study Grant, 2013; Rabbi Daniel and Ida Goldberger Fellowship, 2013; Katherine J. Lamont Scholarship, 2012]
- 2012 Talia di Manno: MA student RLST/HIST: thesis third reader.
- 2012 Isa Babur, MA student RLST: exam second reader.

OTHER EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE (selected):

Research Employment:

- 1997 **self-employed:** Researcher
Archival research in Spain for Dr. Lynn H. Nelson (University of Kansas), for his project, “Twelfth-Century Huesca: Middle Class Lives”

- 1997–1998 **D.E.E.D.S. Project (University of Toronto):** Supervisor of Research Assistants
Developing strategies for computer analysis of medieval charters, management of a team of graduate student assistants, hiring, training and on-going supervision
- 1995–1996 Research Assistant
Assisting with the collection and digital processing of medieval charters
- **Centre for Reformation and Renaissance Studies:** Research Assistant
ITER: Medieval and Renaissance Studies Bibliographical Database Project

Management and Consulting:

- 2001 **Departure Lounge Publications**, London UK
Proofreading and Fact-checking; Freelance consulting
Duties: Consulting on development, lay-out and content of a new Barcelona guide
- 1998–1999 **Butterfield + Robinson**, Beaune, France: Research and Development & Guide
Researching and developing deluxe bicycle and walking tours in Spain; Guide and Interpreter (Spanish–English) for bicycle and walking tours
- 1996 & 1991 **Statistics Canada**, Toronto, Canada: Census Commissioner
Hiring, supervising and training a team of canvassers census of Canada; organizing and administering the collection of census data
- 1994 **Broland Enterprises**, Thunder Bay, Canada: Crew Foreman
Training and supervising a crew of fourteen reforestation technicians in Northern Canada

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

- 2018– Societas Historicorum Coronae Aragonum
- 2018– American Institute for Maghrib Studies, Member
- 2015– Medieval Association of the Pacific, Member
- 2012– Medieval Mediterranean Historians, Member
- 2011– American Academy of Religion: Member/ “Mediterranean Consultation” Steering Committee
- 2009– The New Salerno Medical School Association (Salerno, Italy): Honorary Member
- 2003– Middle East Medievalists, Member
- 2002– American Association of University Professors
- 2001– American Academy of Research Historians of Spain: Member
- 2000– Society for Spanish and Portuguese Historical Studies, Member
- 1995– American Historical Association, Member
- 1995– Medieval Academy of America, Member
- 2002–2018 Societat Catalana d’Estudis Històrics, Member
- 2011–2017 Middle East Studies Association, Member
- 2002–2012 Faculty Association, University of California Santa Cruz
- 2002–2010 Society for the Study of the Crusades and the Latin East, Member
- 1998–2010 Mediterranean Studies Association, Member
- 1995–2004 Canadian Society of Medievalists, Member
- 2009–2012 Medieval Academy of America: Book Review Editor (Late Medieval), *Speculum*
- 2008–2010 American Academy of Research Historians of Spain: President
- 2006–2008 American Academy of Research Historians of Spain: Newsletter Editor/Board Member
- 2003–2008 De Re Militari: The Society for Medieval Military History, Member
- 2003–2007 International Society for the Comparative Study of Civilizations, Member
- 2003–2004 National Union of Journalists (UK), Member
- 2001–2007 World History Association, Member
- 1995–1997 Middle East Studies Association, Member

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY:

- 1994 **Lighthouse Community Centre**, Toronto; taught English to South American refugees as a volunteer
- 1993 **Kibbutz Kfar HaHoresh**, Nazareth, Israel; Hebrew Language/ Work Program; studied modern Hebrew language and did voluntary agricultural work

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY:**University of Colorado****Current/Ongoing**

- 2018F– Boulder Faculty Association: representative (RLST)
- Faculty Affairs Committee (Boulder Faculty Association), Member
 - Ad Hoc Travel Policy Review Sub-Committee (BFA Faculty Affairs Committee), Chair
- 2015– CU Mediterranean Studies Group, Director
- 2011– Humanities Program Core Faculty

Complete

- 2018S HUMN Merit Review Committee, Member
- 2017F Dillon Webster, MA portfolio (HIST): committee member
- 2017S HUMN Merit Review Committee, Member
- Post-tenure review committee chair: Assistant Prof. Loriliai Biernacki (RLST)
 - Post-tenure review committee: Prof. David Ferris (HUMN)
 - Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program (UROP) Grant Review Board, Member
 - “Extended Departmental Committee” for promotion to Full: Juan Pablo Dabove (SPAN)
 - Innovative Seed Grant, College of Arts & Sciences, Committee Member
 - Dillon Webster, MA Thesis (RLST): committee chair
- 2016–17S Jewish Studies, Executive Committee Member
- 2016S Post-tenure review: Prof. David Shneer (HIST)
- 2012–15 Humanities Program Executive Committee
- 2011–2015 Jewish Studies: Executive Committee Member
- 2015S Aaron Stamper, MA Thesis (RLST): committee chair
- Aaron Stamper, MA portfolio (HIST): committee member
- 2014F–15S Religious Studies: Islam Search Committee, Chair
- Boulder Faculty Association, Student Mentor Program
- 2012F–15S Religious Studies: Director of Undergraduate Studies & Associate Chair
- Arts and Sciences Council: Religious Studies Department Faculty Representative
- 2015S RLST Graduate Student Workshop – Grant & Fellowship Writing, 6 March
- HUMN Merit Review Committee – Member/Co-Chair (ie.: one of two)
- 2014F RLST Graduate Student Workshop – Grant & Fellowship Writing, 14 November
- University of Colorado at Boulder Chancellor’s “CU Seminar” • Faculty Speaker; 3 October
 - Lester Lecture (Religious Studies) • Faculty Organizer
 - PUEC Committee (Deborah Whitehead: Assistant Prof. RLST, promotion to Associate)
- 2010–2014 CU Mediterranean Studies Group; co-founder/ co-director (with Claire Farago, Art & Art History)
- 2014S Sample Lecture for the Program in Jewish Studies • Admitted Student Day, 5 April
- 2013F PUEC Committee, Chair (Shirley Carnahan: Instructor HUMN, re-appointment)
- Appeals Committee on Academic Rules and Policies: Committee Member
- 2013S Arts & Humanities Dissertation Fellowships Committee
- 2013S Humanities Program: Commencement Speaker “The Humanities and Humanity in the Twenty-First Century”
- 2012 PUEC Committee, Chair (Holly Gayley: Assist. Prof. RSLT, mid-career; REVIEW CANCELLED)
- 2012S Religious Studies: Graduate Co-ordinator & Associate Chair
- 2012 Arts & Humanities Innovative Seed Grant Program (IGP) Review Panel: Member
- 2012S Humanities Program Executive Committee (ad hoc; substitute Spring only)
- 2011 PUEC Committee, Service Letter (Deborah Whitehead: Assist. Prof. RSLT, mid-career)
- 2010–2011 “The Corrupting Sea” – a year-long reading group for faculty and graduate students • Organizer
- 2010 “Funding in the Arts and Humanities” Workshop; panel member

University of California

- 2009–2015 UC Multi-Campus Research Program – *Mediterranean Studies*; principal investigator (to 2012); co-Director (2012–)
- 2009– UC Santa Cruz Center for Mediterranean Studies. Co-founder & co-director (w/ Sharon Kinoshita)
- 2006– The Mediterranean Seminar: Co-founder; co-director
- 2004–2011 Stevenson College Executive Committee: Member

- 2008–2009 UCSC Senate, Committee on Libraries: Member
- Undergraduate Committee (History Dept): Member
- 2003–2009 Mediterranean Studies Research Unit (UCSC IHR): Co-organizer
- UCSC Center for World History: Board member
- 2007–2009 UC France-Berkeley Exchange: Principal Investigator
- 2003–2009 World History Multi-Campus Research Group: Member
- 2009 Rick Hooper Scholarship Committee (Center for Global, International, and Regional Studies), Member
- 2007–2008 UCSC Senate, Committee on Libraries: Member
- Undergraduate Committee (History Dept): Member
 - Committee on Academic Personnel (ad hoc committee): Member
 - HIS 280B Graduate Professionalization Seminar (History Dept.; see above): Instructor
 - Spring 2008 Instructional Improvement Colloquium: Speaker
- 2007 Rick Hooper Scholarship Committee (Center for Global, International, and Regional Studies), Member
- 2005–2006 History Dept. Search Committee for Ladder-Rank Faculty (Latin America): Member
- Stevenson College Executive Committee: Member
 - Scholarships Benefit Dinner and “Fiat Lux” Award Ceremony: Humanities Faculty Representative
 - Conference Planning Committee: Member (UCSC World History MRG)
- 2004–2005 Search Committee for Coordinator for the Faculty Relocation Assistance Program and the Dual Career Services (Academic Human Resources): Member
- History Dept. Search Committee for Ladder-Rank Faculty (History of China): Member
 - New Trustees’ Orientation: Humanities Speaker
- 2003–2004 Graduate Cluster: Colonialism, Nationalism and Transnational Migrations (Department of History, UCSC): Convener
- Motivational speaker for Humanities Telephone Outreach volunteers
 - New Faculty Orientation: “Tips for New Faculty” (Division of Humanities): Speaker
 - Search Committee for Arabic Language Instructor (Languages): Member
 - MIIS Task Force (Division of Humanities): Member
- 2002–2003 Undergraduate Committee (History): Member
- Search Committee for Arabic Language Instructor (Languages): Member

As a student:

- 1997–1998 Graduate Students’ Union (U of T), Departmental Representative
- 1995–1996 Calendar Committee (Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto): Member
- 1994–1995 Conference Committee (CMS): Member
- International Relations Committee (CMS): Member

Guest Speakers hosted at CU Boulder (from Papers Given, Panels Organized..., above):

Upcoming

- Pierre Savy (École Française de Rome) (co-organized with Céline Dauverd)
- Alejandro García Sanjuan (History: Universidad de Huelva)
- Alex Metcalfe (History: University of Lancaster)
- Daniel Koenig (History: University of Konstanz)
- Patricia Grieve (Spanish: Columbia University) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)
- Daniel Hershenzon (Literatures, Cultures, and Languages: University of Connecticut)
- Erica Ferg (Liberal Arts: Regis University)

2018

- Sol Miguel-Prendes (Spanish & Italian: Wake Forest University) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)
- Maria Manuela Tavares dos Santos Silva (University of Lisbon) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)
- Ana Maria Seabra de Almeida Rodrigues (Faculty of Letters, University of Lisbon) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)

2017

- Roser Salicrú i Lluch (Medieval Studies: Institució Milà i Fontanals, CSIC, Barcelona)
- Justin Stearns (Arab Crossroads Studies, New York University–Abu Dhabi) (co-organized with Aun Ali)
- María Teresa Narvaez (Universidad de Puerto Rico)
- Nancy Marino (Distinguished Professor of Spanish, Romance and Classical Studies, Michigan State University) (co-organized with Núria Silleras-Fernández)

2016

- Ross Brann, Milton R. Konvitz Professor of Judeo-Islamic Studies and Chair of Near Eastern Studies at Cornell University (co-organized with Sabahat Adil)
- Nuria Martínez-de-Castilla (Universidad Complutense de Madrid)
- Amina Nawaz (Centre for Islamic Theology: University of Tübingen)
- Mujadad Zaman (Centre for Islamic Theology: University of Tübingen)
- Nina Zhiri (Literature, University of California San Diego) (co-organized with Sabahat Adil)

2015

- Paul Freedman (History, Yale University)
- Eva Hoffman (Art & Art History, Tufts University)
- Mark D. Meyerson (History/ Medieval Studies, University of Toronto)
- Thomas E. Burman (History, University of Tennessee - Knoxville)
- Amina Nawaz (Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, Cambridge University)

2014

- Teofio F. Ruiz (History, UCLA)
- David Nirenberg (History & Committee on Social Thought, University of Chicago)
- Thomas F. Glick (History, Boston University)
- Mark Meyerson (History/Medieval Studies, University of Toronto)
- Thomas E. Burman (History, University of Tennessee – Knoxville)

2013

- Nicholas Purcell (Ancient History, Brasenose College, Oxford)

2012

- Steven Epstein (Medieval History University of Kansas at Lawrence)

2011

- Gerard Wiegers (Religious Studies, University of Amsterdam)